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DISCOVER GANG OF ANARCHISTS

Search for Missing Chicago Chef Results in Disclosures

CAPT. HUNT HAS NAMES

Letters are Said to Disclose Plot Extending to Rome, Italy, to Destroy Churches

DETECTIVES SEARCH FOR MEN

CHICAGO, Feb. 14.—Captain Nicholas Hunt of the detective bureau who is directing the search for Jean Crones, the missing assistant chef who is suspected of having poisoned the soup served at a banquet to Archbishop Mundelein here last Thursday said tonight that the search has developed the existence of a gang of fifteen anarchists, whose grudge lay principally against the church and churchmen.

Captain Hunt said that he had the names of most of the members and that detectives have been instructed to search for them.

Hunt Names Frank Allegrini.

Captain Hunt named Frank Allegrini, in whose rooms anarchists letters and literature was found, as one of the men. The names of the alleged anarchists are said to have been taken from the letters. They were written in 1913 and are said to disclose a widespread plot extending to Rome, Italy, to destroy churches and church property of all creeds. According to Detective Sergeant Paul Riccio, who aided in translating the letters from the Italian in which they were written, the headquarters of the society was in Rome. Efforts, were made, it was said, to organize branches of the society all over the world. In the United States, public buildings were to receive the attention of the anarchists, in addition to the churches.

Most of the leters were without signatures. One dated Chicago, March 24th, 1913, was addressed to Dear Allegini. Another was dated Salida, Colo., September 13th, and was addressed to Dear Frank. It was signed "Joseph Folallidinl." Still another was addressed to "Dear Cousin" from Piqua, Ohio.

Goes Into Details of Bomb.

The first of the letters unaddressed and unsigned goes into deatils of a bomb invented by the writer.

"This," says the letter, "will be a fine thing to throw among a lot of religious people when they go out dressed in the best clothes on the boulevard to talk the sermon over."

The second letter mentioned the receipt of a letter from Allegrini.

"I read your letter and am glad you are taking interest," it said, "But I will recommend you to be careful with your pals, because there may be some traitors among them who cannot tell a lie to fool justice."

The third letter which was written from Salida, said:

"I have sent your trunk. Things are pretty bad here. The strike is very hot but your trunk was in good hands all the time.

"That dirty ...... Marchie has made a report that yor . and they are looking for you and I beg you to be careful and let me know if you are in a safe place.

"I will let you know why when I write again." This letter was signed Follalidini.

Several maps and drawings were found. They were said to indicate that the plotters had designs on the People's Gas, Light & Coke Building of Chicago and other costly structures. Captain Hunt expressed the opinion that the attempt to wreck S. Parick's Roman Catholic church In New York some time ago probably was a part of the plot of the anarchists.

Conduct Country-Wide Search.

Country-wide search for Jean Crones, former assistant chef in the University Club and the suspected poisoner of more than a hundred guests last Thursday at a dinner to Archbishop Mundelin was conducted today. The activity of the police centered chiefly in localities known to be frequented by persons of anarchistic tendencies. The authorities in many cities were asked to cooperate in the effort to find the suspected man.

From the local manager of a correspondence school, with which Crones took up a course in chemistry, the police learned that the suspected man had purchased a long list of poisonous chemicals for use in his course in chemistry and chemical terminology. The list contained an ounce of the same poison which the city chemists found in a sample of the banquet soup which they analyzed.

WILL PROBABLY AWAIT FUTURE DEVELOPMENTS

TEUTONIC MEMORANDUM DOES NOT NECESSARILY CALL FOR AN ANSWER

Notes Regarding Attitude Toward Armed Ships Probably Will be Brought Officially to the Attention of the Cabinet Today.

Washington, Feb. 14—Future developments probably will be awaited by the United States before taking any action in response to the announcement from the Teutonic allies that armed merchant ships will be subjected to submarine attack without warning beginning March 1st. The memorandums, both of which were studied by Secretary Lansing today, do not, it is said, necessarily call for an answer. They probably will be brought officially to the attention of the cabinet tomorrow and some definite policy in regard to them may be decided upon.

It was intimated in official circles that the memorandums received from the German and Austrian governments are considered in themselves a sufficient warning to Americans to refrain from engaging passage on merchant ships of the class of vessels affected by the order.

The United States admittedly has found itself to be in a delicate position as a result of its memorandum to the entente allies and the memorandum from the central powers. Should this government approve of the position of the Teutonic allies, it is believed diplomatic controversies would result, and it might even be charged that the United States had committed an unneutral act of benefit to the enemies of the entente.

The central powers it is believed, might be offended should the state department criticise adversely their memoranda, which was generally regarded to be a development of the American memorandum suggesting the disarming of merchantmen. This contained an intimation that the United States itself because of the changed conditions of warfare on the seas might decide that armed merchantmen entering American waters were auxiliary cruisers and subject to internment.

By allowing future developments to determine the stand of the United States it was pointed out all difficulty would be avoided at this time. It is realized, however, that should an armed ship with Americans on board be sunk and the government owning the submarine should announce it considered the commander was justified because the vessel was in reality a naval auxiliary, the position of this government would have to be defined.

PRESIDENT CONSENTS TO USE OF HIS NAME AS CANDIDATE

WASHINGTON, Feb. 14.—President Wilson today consented formally for the first time to the use of his name as a candidate for the presidential nomination in the coming campaign. He declared that he was entirely unwilling to enter the contest for re-nomination.

The definition of the president's attitude in line with the plans of his political associates, is expected to bring in the open the campaign being made in his favor thruout the country.

Mr. Wilson's declaration was made in a letter to the Ohio secretary of state who had written that candidates for delegate from that state to the national conventions must signify their choice for president by Feb. 25th, and that no presidential candidates could be named in that connection without their consent.

CANADAY BECOMES GOVERNOR IN ABSENCE OF DUNNE AND O'HARA

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., Feb. 14.—Stephen D. Canaday of Hillsboro, Ill., president pro tempore of the state senate, becomes governor of Illinois at midnight tonight, for by that time Governor Dunne will be out of the state on his way to Buffalo, N. Y., where he delivers a speech tomorrow night at a Lincoln banquet, and Lieutenant Governor Barratt O'Hara notified Senator Canaday that he would leave Chicago tonight for Washington.

After the Buffalo banquet Governor Dunne expects to go to Washington to attend a White house reception on February 18.

HOLD HARMONIOUS MEETING.

Burlington, Iowa, Feb. 14.—A most harmonious meeting of the first district Republicans was held here today and the following men were recommended for delegate to the National convention; Lamonte Cowles of Des Moines county, E. R. Smith of Jefferson county and for alternates Colonel D. J. Palmer of Washington county, and George S. Scott of Lee county. Fully three score of the leaders of every county in the district, with the exception of Van Buren were present at the meeting. Altho Senator Cummins' name was not formally brought up it was generally understood that the delegates would support him for president.

NAME MRS. EDWARDS CUSTODIAN

Springfield, Ill., Feb. 14.—The new custodian of the old Abraham Lincoln homestead at 430 South Eighth street here is Mrs. Josephine Remann Edwards, widow of A. S. Edwards, the first custodian, who died recently.

BEGIN DRAFTING ARMY MEASURES

Committees Will Probably Hold Daily Sessions to Hasten Work

NAVAL HEARINGS GO ON

Capt. M'Kean, Attached to Office Of Chief of Operations, is Before House Committee

MADE MUCH REAL PROGRESS

WASHINGTON, Feb. 14—While the house naval committee continued today its hearings on the navy appropriation bill the military committee of both houses prepared to begin drafting the measures they will propose to strengthen the army. The military committees probably will begin daily sessions before the end of the week in an effort to hasten their work as President Wilson has urged.

Josiah S. McKean attached to the office of the chief of operations, said that while he was inclined to believe with Admiral Grant as to the greater value of larger submarines, other officers had different views. Chairman Padgett explained that Rear-Admiral Benson, chief of operations, was one of these and would explain his position to the committee later.

Information Comes From Boy.

Captain McKean revealed that much of the navy department's information about German submarines had come from an American boy who served for a time upon one of them in active service before he could establish his nationality and secure immunity from military duty. The boy whose name was not disclosed, returned to the United States as soon as he was at liberty and proved to be a valuable source of information. While he did not go into detail Captain McKean said experts of the navy had questioned the youth closely.

Representative Britten of Illinois, asked Captain McKean if the action of the department in contracting for sixteen additional small submarines two months ago was not ridiculous, in the light of the information it then had as to the efficiency of larger craft.

"Characteristics of ships are matters determined by the general board," Captain McKean replied. He said he believed it had been thought best to get as many submarines as possible constructed quickly, and that congress had fixed the limit of cost for the sixteen boats thereby limiting their size. He pointed out also that for distances of 300 miles or less the small boat was fully as efficient if not more so than an 800 ton craft. They were imperative for shallow water work, he added.

Representative Britten pressed the witness as to what steps had been taken by the navy department to be ready to meet the emergency conditions which seemed to exist.

Make Much Real Progress.

"We have made more real progress in real readiness", Captain McKean said, in the last two years than in any previous five year period in my experience in the navy. I do not think I have ever known a time when everybody in the service from top to bottom was working as hard with their heads and hands to prepare the fleet for active service.

At another point Representative Britten asked why the department had not attempted to speed up delivery of ships now under construction. Captain McKean said this was a matter for the contractors and the department had little power. If the contractors were penalized, he said, congress always revoked the sentence.

"I think your files will show, Mr. Britten", he said, "that no penalty has even been imposed upon a contractor but that it was rebated sooner or later by act of congress. They may have to wait fifteen years, but they get it back."

ONE OF WINTER'S SEVEREST COLD WAVES GRIPS ATLANTIC STATES

WASHINGTON, Feb. 14.—One of the winter's severest cold waves gripped the Atlantic states today. The northern seaboard suffered most, many points reaching new low temperature records for the season, but there was a decided drop as far south as northern Florida. The coldest place was Canton, N. Y., with 38 degrees below zero. At Pensacola the mercury reached the freezing point. Relief by tomorrow was forecast tonight by the weather bureau for virtually all of the cold wave area.

TO INVESTIGATE NEEDS OF FLOOD REFUGEES

St. Louis, Mo., Feb. 14.—Charles W. Hubbard, general manager of the Provident association of St. Louis and local Red Cross representative, departed tonight for Arkansas to investigate the needs of the refugees in the flooded districts there. The Business Men's league and the Merchants' Exchange of St. Louis have raised a fund of $2,500 for the relief of Arkansas flood sufferers.

TELEGRAPHIC BRIEFS

OTTAWA, Ill., Feb. 14—Tony Racolla was found dead today on a lonely road near LaSalle with nine bullet holes in his body and John Pellegrino is reported dying at a hospital as the result of a mysterious shooting. Four suspects were arrested.

BURLINGTON, Ia., Feb. 14—Mortimer Bradway, of Carman, Ill., died at a local hospital today, succumbing burns sustained in lighting a fire in a kitchen stove with kerosene.

ST. LOUIS, Feb 14—W. D. Vandiver, in charge of the United States sub-treasury at St. Louis and a former member of congress, today announced his candidacy for the Democratic nomination for governor of Missouri.

CEDAR RAPIDS, Ia., Feb. 14—While removing the cap from a tank car half filled with gasoline, John Janda today caused an explosion by dropping the cap and causing a spark. He was blown forty feet into the iar and was killed by the fall.

SCHENECTADY, N. Y., Feb. 14—Fire today destroyed the building utilized by the General Electric company for manufacture of war munitions. Loss $5,000. "We do not attach any significance to the fire", said General Manager Emmons. "It was undoubtedly caused by spontaneous combustion."

CAIRO, Ill., Feb. 14—The congressional commission that is investigating flood conditions left here today on a government boat for Mound City on the Ohio river. Later the commission will inspect conditions along the Mississippi river both above and below Cairo.

NEW YORK, Feb. 14—Insurance statistics show that the man who overeats as well as the man who indulges in alcoholic drinks is a bad risk, according to Arthur Hunter, a life insurance inspector. He delivered a warning against overeating in an address to a Young Men's Christian association meeting last night.

MARIENET, Wis., Feb. 14—The posoffice at Washington Harbor, Door county, has been discontinued because when ill health prevented the postmaster, L. F. Ottosen, from performing his duties and he resigned, no one else could be found who would take the position, altho advertisements were inserted in Door county papers offering the office to any one who desired it.

CHICAGO, Feb. 14—Archbishop Geo. W. Mundelein of the archdiocese of Chicago, today took the final step to complete his investiture into office, when he signed the formal declaration of office before Judge John P. McGoorty, which automatically transfers to him as the Catholic bishop of Chicago the property of archdiocese, valued at $50,000,000.

SAN DIEGO, Cal., Feb. 14—Official announcement that Floyd Smith, civilian aviator, had broken the world's hydroaeroplane record for pilot and two passengers, when he ascended 9,544 feet here Friday was made today by Captain Arthur S. Cowan, chief of the Signal Corps Aviation School, United States Army, who represented the Aero Club of America at the flight.

CHARLESTON, W. Va., Feb. 14—Frederick O. Blue, commissioner of prohibition, prepared today to apply to the Wayne county court for an injunction to prevent the Kanawha Traction and Electric company, operating between Parkersburg and Marietta, Ohio, from accepting passengers who carry intoxicants labelled as personal baggage. The order, if issued also will be applied to other trolley lines entering the state.

HADLEY WILL NOT CONTINUE HIS CAMPAIGN FOR SENATOR

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Feb. 14.—Formal announcement that Herbert S. Hadley would not continue his campaign for the Republican nomination for United States senator was made here tonight. Mr. Hadley's withdrawal was the principal topic of discussion among hundreds of Republicans gathered here for the meeting of the Association of Young Republicans of Missouri and a dinner in Convention hall tonight.

A statement issued by a friend of Hadley's said the former governor's physician had advised him against taking part in an ardous state wide campaign.

ASKS INVESTIGATION OF DEATH.

Chicago, Feb. 14.—When the body of Paul Behrendt of Stockton, Ill., arrived here today for burial, Mrs. Mary Behrendt, the widow, asked Coroner Hoffman to make a post mortem examination. She was not satisfied that Behrendt had died of natural causes, she said, and suggested his death might have been due to injuries he received while employed as a machinist for a railway company. The case will be investigated by the coroner's office.

CASE WILL GO TO JURY TODAY.

Winterset, Ia., Feb. 14.—The case of Mrs. Ida Meyer, charged with complicity in the murder of her daughter-in-law, Miss Ethel Clayton Meyer, will go to the jury some time tomorrow morning. Attorney A. W. Wilkerson will complete the argument for the prosecution at the opening of court in the morning. The trial has been attracting wide attention and more than half of those in daily attendance have been women.

GERMANS FOLLOW UP RECENT SUCCESS

Capture Additional Half Mile of French Trenches Around Tahur

CRUISER STRIKES MINE

British Admiralty Fears the Cruiser Arethusa is a Total Wreck

TEN OF CREW LOSE LIVES

The whole western fighting front is the scene of engagements. At some points the big guns have been roaring incessantly for days, the infantry have been engaged in hand-to-hand struggle; grenade fighting and mining operations have played a prominent part in the battle while airmen have fought each other above the lines and have been cannonaded from below by the anti-craft guns.

French Answer Bombardments.

The Germans followed up their recent success in Champagne by the capture of an additional half mile of French trenches around Tahur in that district and their artillery bombardments in the neighborhood of Massiges and Navin have been answered in kind by the French.

To the north of Soissons around Terney and along the river Aisne the Germans started an infantry attack but the French put it down with their guns and rifles.

To the south of the Somme the Germans endeavored to surround outpost trenches but desisted under heavy fire of the French.

In upper Alsace the Germans turned loose their guns on trenches the French had recaptured from them, but the French during the night had evacuated them and the shelling did no other damage than to shatter the emplacements.

Seventeen Fights in Air.

Seventeen fights in the air is the record of Sunday, reported officially by the British along their lines in Flanders. In addition there has been great activity south of LaBassee canal, where the Germans exploded seven mines. Heavy bombardments and an infantry attack in that section also are reported, the Germans succeeding in entering a British trench. They were driven out almost immediately.

In Albania the Arsen river which runs westward across Central Albania and empties into the Bay of Durazzo has been reached by the Austro-Hungarian vanguards according to Vienna.

Bulgars Occupy El Bassan.

The Bulgarians have occupied El Bassan an important town in Central Albania.

There have been no important events on the eastern front, but the Russians in the Caucasus have taken several Turkish prisoners.

King Ferdinand of Bulgaria, Vienna reports, has arrived to visit Emperor Francis Joseph. This would seem to set at naught recent unofficial reports that Bulgaria had asked the entente allies for a separate peace.

British Cruiser Strikes Mine.

London, Feb. 14.—The British Cruiser Arethusa struck a mine off the east coast of England today, according to a statement issued by the admiralty. It is feared the vessel will be a total wreck. Ten members of the crew lost their lives as a result of the explosion. The announcement that hte Arethusa probably was a wreck brings widespread regret as the cruiser was one of the most popular in the navy.

She was covered with scars from many encounters and is believed to have been in more naval actions of the present war than any ship in the navy. Within three days after leaving the ship yard where she was built she was in naval fight in North Sea and had distinction of firing the torpedo which finally settled the fate of the German Cruiser Bluecher. Of her part in the Helgoland fight, the official account at that time stated the Arethusa, leading the line of destroyers was first attacked by two German cruisers and sharply engaged for 35 minutes at a range of 3,500 yards with the result that she sustained damage.

The Arethusa later engaged two other German ships and, in company with a light cruiser squadron contributed to the sinking of the German Cruiser Mainz. In this encounter many of the Arethusa's guns were disabled and she was about to be overpowered when a British battle squadron opportunely arrived and sank her antagonist. Altho one of smaller cruisers, her fighting qualities and her exploits had given her a reputation of embodying the fighting spirit of the British navy.

COLD CAUSES EIGHT DEATHS.

New York, Feb. 14.—Eight persons died here today as a result of the cold wave which sent the mercury down two degrees above zero.

ISSUE NEW RULING ON LIVESTOCK SHIPMENTS

FEDERAL INSPECTOR MUST PASS ON CATTLE, SEEEP AND HOGS

Order Requires That No Livestock Shall Be Shipped From Central Illinois Without Certificate Except for Immediate Slaughter.

Springfield, Ill., Feb 14—Shipment of cattle, sheep and hogs from Central Illinois is prohibited until inspection is made by a federal inspector by order of the United States department of agriculture, made public tonight thru the state board of livestock commissioners. A statement covering the new order is as follows:

"The present order of the secretary now makes it permissible to ship animals from Illinois into interstate trade for any purpose and the Union Stock Yards are again open for feeder, stocker and dairy stock business. However, it is required that no cattle, sheep, or swine shall be shipped, transported, driven on foot or otherwise moved from that portion of the state of Illinois lying north of the northern boundaries of the counties of Calhoun, Jersey, Macoupin, Montgomery, Fayette, Effingham and Crawford, to any state or the District of Columbia for purposes other than immediate slaughter, unless accompanied by a certificate of inspection issued by an employee of the bureau of animal industry at the point of origin. The order does not apply to animals which originate at points outside of the area specified and the effect of the order is to prevent the interstate movement of animals for purposes other than slaughter from the territory designated unless accompanied by a federal certificate."

The last outbreak of the foot and mouth disease occurred in Christian county, January 22.

POSSE PURSUES MAN AND GIRL BELIEVED TO HAVE ELOPED

FLORA, Ill., Feb. 14.—A citizens' posse tonight is pursuing Wilson Dyer, 35 years old, married and a father, and Miss Edna Golden, a 16-year-old school girl of Rinard, Ill., who are believed to have eloped last night. A warrant against Dyer was issued at Rinard, six miles south of here, today. The temper of the posse is such that trouble is feared should Dyer be captured.

Last night Miss Golden suddenly threw her arms first about her mother and then about her sister, and after kissing them ran out of the house. Half an hour later when the mother went in search of her daughter she learned the girl and Dyer had been seen hurrying in the direction of Flora.

A posse was organized and the couple were traced by footprints in the snow to a point on the railroad tracks south of Flora. Later a couple answering their description was seen at Louisville, Ill., eight miles north of here, where it was said they had purchased tickets to Springfield, Ill.

NAVAL COURT OF INQUIRY SUBMITS REPORT TO DANIELS

WASHINGTON, Feb. 14.—The naval court of inquiry which investigated the recent explosion on the submarine E-2 in the New York navy yard, in which five men were killed and nine others seriously injured, submitted its report to Secretary Daniels today. Beyond the announcement that the court had been unable to determine who was responsible for the explosion the secretary declined to discuss the document. His decision not to make the report public is said to have been reached after a conference with high officers of the navy, who advised against it.

It is understood that the court reached substantially the same decision as the board of investigation appointed by the navy yard commandant immediately after the accident tho it placed the blame more directly upon the new electric storage batteries which the board found generated gas that was exploded by a spark of undetermined origin.

MAKE DETAILS OF BILL KNOWN.

Washington, Feb. 14.—Details of the national rivers and harbors bill as completed in congress as for the administration project to deepen East river chanel in New York harbor became known tonight. The measuring aggregating $40,000,000 will be brought up at a committee tomorrow for a report to the house with the New York project, the only pending questions. It carries not only cash appropriations for every section, but numerous authorizations for preliminary examinations and surveys at other places.

Among the items in the bill are: Illinois—Chicago harbor, construction of breakwater to form an outer harbor, $714,300; Calumet harbor, $25,000; Chicago river, $30,000; Calumet river, $20,000; Illinois river, $55,000.

FIRE CAUSES HEAVY DAMAGE.

Marinette, Wis., Feb. 14.—Fire tonight caused $50,000 damage in the village of Hermansville, Mich., and for a time threatened to destroy the large lumber mills and yards. A high wind went down after the fire departments of Iron Mountain, Marinette, Gladstone and Escanaba reached Hermansville and the flames were controlled.

The fire started in the yards of the Hermansville Land and Lumber company.

FIND POISON AND BOTTLE IN ASHES

Madison Drug Clerk Tells of Selling Empty Bottle to Young Orpet

READY TO GO TO TRIAL

Undergardner Admits He Buried Poison Under Orders from the Senior Orpet

MAKE NO MOVE FOR RELEASE

CHICAGO, Feb. 14.—A two ounce bottle purchased at Madison, Wis., and poison crystals found buried in an ash heap in the suburb of Lake Forest are believed by Lake county authorities to form an important link in the circumstantial evidence involving William H. Orpet, University of Wisconsin junior, who is under arrest, in the death of Miss Marian Frances Lambert.

Charles W. Hassinger, a clerk employed in the Tiedman Pharmacy at Madison, Wis., said today that he sold an empty two ounce bottle to Orpet at noon on Tuesday. It was on this day that the collegian came to Lake Forest. The next day he had his tryst with his former sweetheart. Search of the ash pile resulted from a tip received by State's Attorney Dady. It was on the estate of Cyrus H. McCormick, of which Orpet's father, O. E. Orpet, is superintendent. An undergardener admitted that he buried the poison under orders from the senior Orpet.

"On today's developments we are ready to go to trial," said Mr. Dady. "I am convinced that the bottle purchased by young Orpet is the one in which the deadly poison was contained. Young Orpet slept Tuesday night in a garage on the McCormick estate. The poison, used for spraying plants, was accessible. The cabinet in which it was kept was broken open. We have not found the bottle, altho the poison was of a nature so deadly that death must have come to Miss Lambert before she could throw it away. A grain of the stuff is sufficient to cause instant death. Orpet has confessed that he stood beside her and saw her die. On these facts we are ready to go to trial."

The parents of the girl disclaimed today any desire to release Orpet from custody and urged that the law be permitted to take it's course. No move seeking the release of Orpet was made by counsel retained by his father and it was said that no attempt to obtain his release would be made until after the inquest.

School girl friends of Miss Lambert were questioned by the state's attorney of their knowledge of the relations which had existed between Orpet and the school girl

WILL RESUME PUBLIC INQUIRY INTO NOMINATION OF BRANDEIS

WASHINGTON, Feb. 14.—Public inquiry into the nomination of Louis D. Brandeis to the supreme court of the United States will be resumed tomorrow by the judiciary sub-committee of the senate. On the witness stand will be officials of the United Shoe Machinery company, with which Mr. Brandeis formerly was associated as director and general counsel.

S. W. Winslow, president of the United Shoe Machinery company, who was subpoenaed, notified the sub-committee today that he would be present.

Testimony will be sought regarding charges of unethical conduct "on the part of Mr. Brandeis in his relations to this company to the effect that after serving as attorney and director of the company he withdrew and later acted as counsel for a group of manufacturers in a suit against the company as an unlawful trust."

KELLY PARTIALLY IDENTIFIED.

Chicago, Feb. 14.—Partial identification of Frank Kelly, alias "King," as the man who held up the Cook Tourist Agency here and killed Policeman Johnson in escaping, was made today. Other employes of the Cook office will be asked to try to make the identification positive.

WEATHER FORECAST AND TEMPERATURES.

Illinois—Fair Tuesday and Wednesday; warmer in south and central portions Tuesday.

Temperatures.

The current, maximum and minimum temperatures as recorded Monday were:

Jacksonville	21	27	0
Boston	12	14	2
Buffalo	8	12	6
New York	6	12	2
New Orleans	46	50	36
Chicago	26	28	13
Detroit	12	20	8
Omaha	30	30	8
St. Paul	22	24	—2
Helena	46	54	26
San Francisco	70	72	54
Winnipeg	16	22	—2

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Coarse Meal, per 100 lbs.	$1.65
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CHAMINADE MUSIC CLUB.

The Chaminade Musical club met Monday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Edgar Martin on Sandusky street. There was a good attendance of members and a most interesting program of choice selections from the works of three famous French woman composers was rendered as follows:

Cecil Chaminade (1861), Augusta Holmes (1847-1903), Eva Dell' Acqua.

Automne, Concert Study—Chaminade.—Mrs. Homer Potter.

An Irish Noel—Holmes—Miss Esther Spoonts.

Passacaille, Op. 130—Chaminade.—Miss Sieber.

(a) Dost thou Remember.—Holmes.—Miss Graham.

(b) Trahison (Betrayal)—Chaminade—Miss Graham.

L'Ondine, Op. 101—Chaminade.——Mrs. V. B. Vasey.

(a) Captive Love —Chaminade—Mrs. E. D. Canatsey.

(b) Chanson Provencal—Dell' Acqua—Mrs. E. D. Canatsey.

Zingara—Chaminade—Miss Walker.

(a) Souvenir—Dell' Acqua.—Mrs. Robert L. Stice.

(b) Hymn a'Eros—Holmes—Mrs. Robert L. Stice.

Valse Humoristique, Op. 92—Chaminade—Mrs. Edgar Martin.

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Military Training.

The dispatches state that Congressman Sabath has presented the name of former Mayor Carter H. Harrison of Chicago to President Wilson as a likely man for secretary of the navy to fill the vacancy caused by Mr. Garrison's resignation. Mr. Harrison's long record in fighting his enemies in Cook county and his more recent battles with one Roger Sullivan have doubtless given him some training which would qualify him for the Washington post.

Auto Trails Bring Business.

Another automobile trail is to be marked thru Jacksonville, "The Golden Belt" line, which is to extend from this city to Kansas City by Way of Louisiana. A great many people do not appreciate the importance of these trails or the attendant advantage to the cities thru which they pass. The marking of a trail always leads to road betterments and when once the trail has been established and the roads improved automobilists naturally turn that way and many are the dollars which they put into circulation in the cities they visit.

In the Hands of His Friends.

President Wilson's letter to the Ohio secretary of state authorizing the use of his name on the ballot reads like the candidate who " at the solicitation of his many friends" is ready to consent to run for office. Mr. Wilson says, "I am willing to permit the use of my name, that the Democrats of Ohio may make their preference in regard to that nomination, altho I am unwilling to enter into any contest for the nomination." For months it has been tacitly understood that Mr. Wilson would be a candidate but the statement has yet to be made which will justify his action in view of his earlier declaration in favor of a one presidential term.

The indications were yesterday that the $3,000,000 bond issue for roads and bridges of St. Louis county would pass today. The road and bridge association which has been pushing the movement issued from time to time some very convincing figures to show that it would take a comparatively few years to pay back to property owners the cost for the road betterments. It was shown that the increase in business for St. Louis and the lessened cost for marketing products from farms would quickly combine to overshadow the seemingly large cost.

Senator Week's Friends Cheered.

Friends of Senator Weeks of Massachusetts who has been mentioned frequently in connection with the Republican presidential nomination, have been greatly cheered by the news that the only two delegates thus far chosen from Missouri to the national convention, altho uninstructed, favor Senator Weeks. The senator's friends may look upon this as a good omen but the fact remains that most of the party leaders agree that the nomination of an eastern candidate this year would not be good politics.

The Big Issue.

If former Secretary Bryan starts on an itinerary to oppose President Wilson's preparedness program he will have others than those sent by the administration camping on his trail. A committee met in New York recently and formulated a counter Bryan plan to be prepared for any "peace at any price" campaign. Albert B. Lambert, the millionaire manufacturer, aviator and preparedness exponent, was selected as one of the leaders for this particular part of the work. A whole list of speakers was selected and general plans outlined, so that more and more it becomes certain that preparedness is to be the big issue in the coming campaign

A Strange Condition This.

Some terrible contagious disease must have broken out in the postoffice at Washington Harbor, Wis., for nothing else can explain the government's inability to find a postmaster to serve there. Some weeks ago the postmaster resigned because of ill health and up to date no one has been found willing to undertake the duties of the office, and even advertising inserted in the papers by the government has failed to bring an applicant. The situation is unique for whenever a vacancy occurs in an Illinois postoffice applicants climb over one another for preferment.

Over in Indiana they have found a very satisfactory method for a man to avail himself of the rights given him by "the unwritten law," and the results are not nearly so disastrous as those usually attending such cases. Charles Stafford was on trial at Shelbyville for whipping a man who caused Mrs. Stafford to leave him. The jury found the defendant guilty, fined him one cent and then as evidence of their feelings about the matter passed the hat and contributed enough to pay all the court costs. This plan has much to recommend it above the "revolver and bullets system" and less unhappiness follows in its wake.

Hadley Not To Seek Senatorship.

Former Governor Hadley of Missouri has just authorized the announcement that he will not be a candidate for the U. S. senate from his state. Some time ago Mr. Hadley stated that he would become a candidate and very shortly afterward suffered an attack of la grippe which made necessary a southern trip. Now his physicians advise that the strenuous life of a political campaign would be too severe for him. Tho the former governor has not been very prominently in the public eye since his term of office expired, he is a man who is well thought of in political circles of several states, and he can properly be considered in the "dark horse" class when the Republicans national convention meets in June.

Garrison's Going Cleared Atmosphere

Democrats in Washington—and some Republicans, for that matter—declare that the resignation of Secretary Garrison from the war department did much to clarify the atmosphere in the national capitol building and to bring the president and congress much closer together. So that it may be after all, that the resignation of Mr. Garrison will bring relief to the administration just as did the resignation of Mr. Bryan.

Mr. Garrison was generally credited with being the ablest man in the cabinet, but a story has it that he is also very opinionated and unwilling that his judgment should give way to that of others. The proof of his feeling was very clearly evidenced by his resignation, based on the simple statement that it was caused by disagreement with the president over the continental army program, that the war secretary insisted upon as a part of the defense program.

It is an admirable thing to be strong-minded, to have convictions and be ready with the reasons on which these convictions are based; but it is also possible to overdo this matter of "I'd rather be right than president." Even a man of good judgment and sound conviction must sometimes yield to the opinion of those of still greater and wider experience. If the going of Mr. Garrison, like that of the secretary of state, is really a relief to the president he must charge it up to the errors made in selecting the members of his cabinet.

Rippling Rhymes
By WALT MASON

WORKERS.

It's good to work, with might and main, until the workday ends; it's good to work, in sun or rain—but do not work your friends. The toiler's worthy of his hire, wherever he may be, though he be punishing a lyre or chopping down a tree; tho he be furrowing the loam, that harvests may abound, 'tis labor brings the bacon home, and makes the wheels go round. Renown for toiling with a vim the true distinction lends; so work until the light grows dim—but do not work your friends. The willing worker seldom sees the lean wolf at his door; he has his weinerwurst and cheese and other grub in store. Men's admiration he commands, no matter where he wends; he does his work with both his hands, but does not work his friends. There is no sadder, punker sight, in any neighborhood, than is the husky, lazy wight who's cut out work for good. We all have seen his maudline tear, have heard his whining tones; a guilder there, a kroner here, from all of us he bones. To gain a dime this shameless shirk to lowest depths descends; for when a man quits useful work, he starts to work his friends.

DATES IN ILLINOIS HISTORY.

Feb. 15, 1812—Governor Edwards sent to the president of the United States a request from the militia and citizens of St. Clair county for federal protection against the Indians.

SMOKE MOOSE 5c CIGARS.

ARRESTED ON STATUTORY CHARGE

Charles Zulauf of Arenzville was arrested Monday on a warrant sworn out by Pearl Nash of Chapin on a statutory charge. He was before Justice Dyer and his bond fixed at $1,000 and his preliminary hearing set for Feb. 16 at 9 a. m. In default of bond he was committed to the county jail.

Frank Tracy of Alexander expects to leave the first of next month for Jerseyville and to engage in farming with his father. Mr. Tracy has been cashier of the Alexander State bank for some time past. Lester Gray of Franklin will take his place.

RECIPES PRESENTED AT MEETING OF DOMESTIC SCIENCE ROUND TABLE

Gathering Held at the Home of Mrs. C. J. Knapp—Mrs. O. F. Buffe Succeeds Mrs. A. J. Ward as First Vice President.

At the last meeting of the Domestic Science Round Table which was held at the home of Mrs. C. J. Knapp, 1022 West College avenue, a number of splendid recipes for luncheon dishes were given. Mrs. Herbert J. Capps read a very interesting and instructive paper on "Hospitality, Duties of Hostess and Guests". At the business session, the resignation of Mrs. A. J. Ward as first vice president was accepted and Mrs. O. F. Buffe was elected to succeed her. Miss Newman was sent a bouquet of roses and the thanks of the club for her splendid demonstration of last month. The club is planning to hold a Kindergarten tea at the home of Mrs. John Cherry, Mar. 18th.

The recipes present at the meeting follows:

Luncheon Salad.

1 cup stoned dates.
8 slices of canned pineapple.
1 cup of broken walnut meats.
1 small bunch celery.
3 apples.
1-2 lb. white grapes.
Some crisp lettuce leaves.

Cut apples, celery, nuts and dates in small pieces, cut grapes in halves Mix with boiled dressing into which a cup of whipped cream has been stirred.

Place lettuce leaf on salad plate, on this lay slice of pineapple and spoonful of the above mixture.

Swiss Steak.

One round steak an inch and a half thick. Lay on meat board, cover thickly with flour and pound into steak with sharp edge of a plate.

Then place in a smoking hot skillet into which equal quantities of butter and lard have been melted, and brown throughly on both sides. Then place around the steak enough peeled potatoes for dinner, fill up skillet with hot water, cover tight and let simmer for an hour and a half. Vary this dish by leaving out potatoes and adding tomatoes chopped onion and green sweet peppers.

Kentucky Cakes.

Two teacups cornmeal.
One half teaspoon salt.
Table spoon lard.

Place all together in a pan and pour over it boiling water, stirring constantly to make a stiff dough.

Form into patties one half inch thick and as large around as top of teacup and fry to a rich brown on both sides in skillet.

Ching a Ling.

Juice of six oranges.
Sweeten to taste.
Set on ice and when ready to serve apportion in glasses and fill up with iced Ginger Ale.

Turkish Delight.

Grate one fully ripened pineapple into a bowl and cover with sugar. Let stand several hours no ice, then add crushed ice and red raspberries and serve in sherbert glasses.

Mintade.

Iced Ginger Ale, a few sprigs of crushed mint and candied cherries. Serve in thin tumblers.

(To serve four people.)

Curried Rice with Eggs.

One cup cooked hot rice. Four hot hard boiled eggs. One cup white sauce liberally seasoned with curry powder.

Shell eggs and lay whole on rice which is heaped on a platter, and pour over it the white sauce.

Luncheon Biscuit.

To rich biscuit dough add one cup soaked currants or raisins and 2-3 cup sugar. Roll out and cut with knife in strips two inches wide and then in diamond shapes and bake in moderate oven.

Sugar Sweet, Sunkist Oranges, all Dealers.

SEWER CONTRACT LET

Bids were opened Monday by the board of local improvement for the laying of the water main on Independence avenue, Hooker street, Lafayette avenue and Howe street and the contract was awarded to William Nunes. There were two bids, as follows: William Nunes, $2,6163.78; Simeon Fernandes & Sons, $2,630.46. The new water main is to be laid beginning at a point near the corner of Allen avenue and Independence avenue and extend east to Myrtle street, will run south on Hooker street to East Lafayette avenue, east to Howe street, and south to Railroad street. The total distance is about three-fourths of a mile. Bids for the 6-inch pipe necessary for this main were received at the council session Monday and were laid over under the rules.

TO ENTERTAIN STAFF.

The degree staff of Arenzville Rebekah lodge will be entertained Thursday night by Rebekahs of Caritas lodge No. 625. The work will be exemplified by the local staff and a class will be received into membership. The Arenzville lodge was instituted last fall.

LEAVE FOR NORTH DAKOTA.

Joseph Fanning and family left yesterday for Larimore, North Dakota, where Mr. Fanning expects to take charge of a farm. Mr. Fanning was for a number of years in the employ of the city and is an excellent teamster and also is well versed in farming. His friends will wish him success in his new home.

TRINITY EPISCOPAL CHURCH

Rev. Mr. Brittain will conduct two services today at Trinity Episcopal church. A service for children will be held at 4 o'clock and a preaching service at 7:30 o'clock. No collection will be taken.

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SARAH BAKER CASE WILL GO TO APPELLATE COURT

Case Appealed From County Court Will go Still Higher—Other Orders Entered.

In the circuit court Monday a number of orders were entered by Judge Jones. In the matter of the estate of Sarah Baker, appeal from the county court, the court ordered the administractor to credit himself with the sum of $417.45 for taxes paid in 1915 and to charge himself with the sum of $2,565.34 required of him to be inventoried. The court also ordered him to pay to J. O. Priest the sum of $175 for attorneys fee in citation of proceedings in the county court and to recast his accounts and report to the county court. The following orders were entered.

Law

In the matter of the estate of Sarah Baker, appeal from county court. Court orders that the administrator credit himself with the sum of $417.45 paid by him for taxes in 1915. That he charge himself with the sum of $2,566.34, required of him to be inventoried by the county court and that he pay to J. O. Priest the sum of $175 for attorneys fee in the citation proceedings in the county court. Administrator is ordered to recast his accounts and report to the county court. Administrator excepts and prays an appeal to the appellate court, third district. Appeal allowed on appellant filing bond in the sum of $5,000 to be aproved by the clerk within thirty days from this date and bill of exceptions to be signed and filed within sixty days.

Margaret Blundell vs. Harry K. Snyder and Snyder Fuel and Ice company, trespass on the case. Leave to plaintiff to file further amended declaration instanter and same filed.

Chancery.

Sylvester Henry et al vs. George T. Henry, partition. Masters report of sale approved. Solicitors fee fixed and allowed at $508 and guardian ad litem fee fixed at $10.

Flora B. Thompson, administratrix vs. the estate of Fenton B. Thompson, partition. Masters report of sale approved and order of distribution signed and approved.

Mary Mason vs. William A. Mason separate maintenance, bill dismissed on motion of complainant.

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Essanay Comedy.

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COMING

Wednesday — Fox Feature—Theda Bara in "The Galley Shore."

Shows start at 1, 2:30, 4:00, 5:30, 7:00, 8:30 and 10 o'clock

Mrs. E. E. Mason of Alexander was a shoper inp the city Monday.

DOMESTIC SCIENCE CLASSES FOR CHILDREN

Classes for children over eleven years of age in Cookery and Sewing are being organized at Illinois Woman's College, work to begin Saturday, February 19 Classes meet at 2:15 p. m. Fee for the course of twelve lessons, $1.00 if paid in advance, or ten cents per lesson. Apply at Registrar's office for further information. Both telephones.

CITY AND COUNTY

Dick Vasey is visiting friends in Virginia today.

Albert Peak was a business visitor in the city Monday.

Miss Irene Smith was a visitor in Beardstown Sunday.

W. E. McCurley of Woodson was in the city yesterday.

Earl Cannon of Chapin was a visitor in the city yesterday.

W. W. Johnston of Champaign is visiting friends in the city.

John Rea of Woodson was among Monday visitors in the city.

Walter Wheeler of Sinclair was a Jacksonville visitor Monday.

Jesse Liter of Literberry was a visitor in the city yesterday.

James H. Dobyns of Orleans was a visitor in the city yesterday.

Benjamin Davenport was in the city Monday from Alexander.

Sheriff Grant Graff is in Quincy attending to business matters.

Thomas E. Burns is visiting his mother in Michigan City, Ind.

H. E. Entsminger of Carbondale was here on business Monday.

H. S. Castles of Springfield spent Monday in the city on business.

Robert Hoagland of Pisgah was a visitor in Jacksonville Monday.

Robert Clayton of Murrayville was in the city yesterday on business.

W. J. Cockin of Alexander was a Monday business visitor in the city.

Mr. and Mrs. John Daniels of Literberry were city visitors yesterday.

O. O. Swope of Beardstown was a Monday business visitor in Jacksonville.

Miss Martha Anderson was among Franklin visitors in the city yesterday.

Mrs. John Hadden, west of the city, was a Jacksonville visitor Monday.

Miss Irene Park spent Sunday in Concord, the guest of Miss Mary Titus.

Henry Myers of Loami was a guest of friends in the city Sunday and Monday.

R. T. Gibson, southeast of Jacksonville, was a visitor in the city yesterday.

Miss Corrine Hacker of Concord spent Wednesday and Thursday in Greenview.

Dr. J. M. Elder of Franklin was transacting business in the city city yesterday.

Miss Marie Gruber and O. E. Granther are visiting with friends in Winchester.

Miss Frances A. Whetsler spent the week end with her parents in Lincoln, Ill.

Fred Thornton of Pleasant Hill was among the business callers in the city Monday.

Mrs. Ann Thursby of Franklin is a guest of Mrs. Emma Caywood of East College avenue.

C. L. Bradley of Taylorville was attending to business matters in the city yesterday.

Mrs. Hannah Meredith and Mrs. J. C. Rolston were in the city Monday from Franklin.

E. C. Tuman was visiting Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Trostor in Virginia.

Mr. and Mrs. Byron Graff of Springfield were guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Grant Graff.

Mrs. Joseph Jackson returned Monday from a visit with her daughter, Mrs. A. E. Curry of Pisgah.

S. T. Zachary and son Harold and Roy Dyer of Pisgah were transacting business in the city Monday.

George Calhoun of Franklin was in the city yesterday enroute to Kansas City to buy a car load of cattle.

Dick Meldrum of the Jacksonville Farm Supply company, spent Sunday with home folk in Carrollton.

Frank Bubb, salesman for the Goffe & Carkner company of St. Louis, has gone to Des Moines, Ia., to attend a convention of Iowa grain men.

Miss Westover and Miss Grace Leary of the stenographic force at the Jacksonville State Hospital, spent Saturday and Sunday in Springfield as guests of Misses Nelle and Alice Keeler.

Alfred T. Capps has gone on business to Omaha, Neb. Mr. Capps expects to return to Jacksonville Wednesday.

Mrs. Harriet Melton and Miss Georgie Melton were in Merritt Sunday for a visit with Mrs. Melton's mother.

Dr. Anny M. Peterson of the Jacksonville State Hospital medical staff and Mrs. M. Adolf are spending a few days in Chicago.

Mrs. John Hendrick of Rockfield, Wis. is here for a visit of several days with her sister, Mrs. Leonard Goveia, north of the city.

A. J. Ross of Harper, Kansas who has been visiting his mother-in-law, Mrs. J. T. Spears on South East street, has returned home.

Miss Augusta Carlson returned Monday from Decatur where she spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Diddle. Mrs. Diddle was formerly Miss Inez Sawyer of Bluffs and attended school in Jacksonville where she has many friends.

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Hogology

A pig might fly, but how absurd
To picture a porker as a bird;
And its just as foolish for us to talk
Of a hog with a basket taking a walk.
But getting right down to real "brass tacks"
And dealing exclusively with facts;
The hams and bacon we sell to you,
Are as sweet as a nut through and through.
We challenge the world to match, if it can,
The smoked meats sold by your Butcher Man.

DORWART'S MARKET

CELEBRATE THEIR FIFTY-FIFTH ANNIVERSARY OF MARRIAGE

Mr. and Mrs. Austin B. Green of the Asbury Neighborhood Observe Event Quietly—Other Asbury News

Mr. and Mrs. Austin B. Green very quietly celebrated their fifty-fifth wedding anniversary Saturday, Feb. 12, at their home one mile east of Asbury church. Mr. and Mrs. Green have spent their entire married life on this farm.

Mrs. George Hembrough and daughter Marie were Thursday guests of Mrs. T. S. Hembrough.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Bealmear and son Waldrus of Sinclair spent Friday with Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Megginson.

Miss Aileen Hembrough was a Wednesday guest of Miss Mariana Clark near Jacksonville.

Mrs. William T. Craig left Friday for an extended visit with her sister in law, Mrs. Carrie Wallace and family in Chicago.

Clark Green of Jacksonville and sister, Miss Minnie spent Tuesday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Carl Hembrough.

Mrs. Harry Trotter entertained the members of the Larkin club at her home last Thursday afternoon, during the hours an elaborate luncheon was served.

CHAPIN.

Miss Isabelle Fox gave a valentine party Monday night and about eighteen friends were present. There were several heart contest. Light refreshments were served. Ice cream and cake were served in the shap of hearts.

Miss Amy Onken was a Jacksonville visitor Monday.

Mrs. J. S. Burnham is visiting friends and relatives in Pekin.

Mrs. George Coulston returned yesterday from a visit in Winchester.

Mrs. Reeding of Merritt was a Monday shopper in Chapin.

Mrs. Brockhouse of near Concord, was visiting Mrs. Mary Eddlebrock Monday.

Harry Onken was in Jacksonville Sunday. He drove up in his Chalmers car.

WITH THE SICK.

The condition of the Rev. M. L. Pontius, ill at his home on West College avenue, continues steadily better. Mr. Pontius has recently been able to sit up and hopes to be about within a few days.

Miss Meda Duncan resumed her duties Monday as cashier at the Peacock Inn after a four weeks' illness.

Henry Stevenson, who has been ill at his home, 1050 West College avenue, is getting along nicely.

H. A. Withee, who for the past four weeks has been ill at his home on South Clay avenue is somewhat improved.

Prof. W. H. Stevenson expected to return last night to his home in Ames, Iowa. He was called here on account of the serious illness of his father, Henry S. Stevenson.

Flossie Jolly, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Otis Jolly, is reported very ill.

Mrs. N. A. Branom of East College avenue is up again after being confined to her bed for several days with the grip.

MATRIMONIAL

Henderson-Ahrenkell.

Erwin Henderson and Miss Alma Ahrenkell were married Saturday afternoon at 3 o clock in Springfield, the Rev. William Schulkze, pastor of St. John's German Lutheran church officiating. The groom is a farmer residing in this county and the bride is a resident of Cantrall.

Nunes-Hume

John Nunes and Miss Della Hume, both of this city, were married Saturday night in Mount Sterling, by Rev. A. T. Shaw. The groom works at Capps' Mills.

SIGMA PA ELECT OFFICERS.

Members of Sigma Pi society of Illinois college met in their hall Monday evening and elected officers for the semester. Those chosen are:

President—Ernest Alford.
Vice president—Robert Capps.
Rec. Secretary—H. Caldwell.
Treasurer—William Berryman.
Cor. Secretary—Warren Pierce.
Sergeant at arms—R. J. Foster.
Director of Prudential Com.—Edward Alexander.
Prudential committee—B. Whisler, Ir aFanning, Ralph Baker.
Sec. of Archives—H. Helme.
Librarian—Julian Frisbee.
Assistant Librarian—Hansel Wilson.

THE BIRTH RECORD.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Lukeman of Sandusky street, a daughter.

HOSPITAL AID SOCIETY.

The Hospital Aid will meet Thursday at 2:30.

BLIND WINS INDOOR MEET

DEFEATS "Y" BY A SCORE OF 44 1-2 TO 35 1-2.

Large Crowd Witnessed Various Contests and Meet Was Interesting One—Blind Team Wants to go to St. Louis.

An interesting indoor meet was held last night in the Blind school, between a team representing the State School for the Blind and the Y. M. C. A. in which the Blind won by a score of 44 1-2 to 35 1-2. The rivalry was keen between the two teams and the Blind was easily the winner of the contest. The Y was handicapped in the high kick, their representative, Ranson, sustaining an inujry just before the event was pulled off.

The members of the Blind team are talking of challenging the Missouri School for the Blind at St. Louis for a meet, in the near future.

The summary follows:

High jump—First, W. Bartlett, Y; Second, Peckham, Y; Stevenson, I. S. B.; Height, 4 ft. 3 inches.

Medicine ball throw—First, W. Bartlett, Y; Second, Austin, I. S. B.; Third, Horton, I. S. B. Distance 41 ft.

Broad jump—First, Hembrough, Y; Second, Peckham, Y; Bartlett, Y. Distance, 9 ft. 2 1-2 inches.

Back jump—First, Peckham, Y; Second, Whiffin, I. S. B.; third, Pieper, I. S. B. Distance, 7 ft. 5 in.

Hop, step, jump—First, Stevenson, I. S. B.; Second, Hembrough, Y; third, Walker, Y. Distance 20 ft., 9 1-2 inches.

Three consecutive jumps—First, Stevenson, I. S. B.; second, Whiffin, I. B. S.: third, Walker, Y. Distance, 28 ft., 6 inches.

Rope climb—First, Dutton, I. S. B; second I. S. B.; third, I. S. B. (Y no entries).

Swinging dips—First, Wiley, I. S. B; second, Dutton, I. S. B.; third, H. Bartlett, Y. 34 dips.

High kick—First, Whiffin, I. S. B.; second Walker, Y.; third, divided, half point for W. Wood, Y., and half point Pieper, I. S. B., 7 ft. 6 in.

W. D. GATES IS TO ENTER NEW LINE OF BUSINESS ACTIVITY

Retired Yesterday from Successful Management of Business of R. A. Gates Fuel & Ice Company.

W. D. Gates yesterday resigned his position as manager for the R. A. Gates Fuel & Ice company and will soon leave for St. Louis where he has a position with a commercial house under consideration. Mr. Gates will retain an interest in the business here which he has managed for the past seven years. He has put more than usual effort and enthusiasm into the business which has been conducted along progressive lines.

In the promotion and erection of the Citizens' Pure Ice Co. plant Mr. Gates was the moving spirit and it was thru his activity that the plant was erected. Many of Mr. Gates own ideas entered into the plant construction and it is known as a model of its kind. During his direction of the firm's affairs the ice department has developed in an extensive way and in addition to the retail trade a large car lot business has been secured. Mr. Gates has proven an active forceful young business man and in whatever commercial line he now engages the Jacksonville experience will prove valuable. John Phillips who has been connected with the Gates Fuel & Ice Co. for the past year will now assume the management, and is well qualified for the position.

FUNERALS

Loose.

Phillip Loose, aged 85 years, died at the Old People's Home Sunday morning at 2:30, as noted in Sunday's Journal. He was born in Alsace, Lorraine, but had lived in this country for many years. Funeral services were held from the home Monday afternoon at 2 o'clock, in charge of Elders George H. Hanrey and A. C. Rice. Music was furnished by Miss Cora Graham, Mrs. J. H. Campbell and W. W. Gillham. Interment was in Diamond Grove cemetery and the bearers were Charles Martin, A. C. Rice, J. H. Crouse and George H. Harney.

Cooper.

Funeral services were held Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock for Mrs. James B. Cooper at the Methodist church in Concord, in charge of Rev. W. P. Bowman. Music was given by Mrs. L. D. Bayless, Miss Minnie Roach, Miss Nellie Abernathy, Mrs. George Johnson, Spencer Smith, Chas. Bayless, George Lewis and Ernest Sanders. The many beautiful flowers were in charge of Miss Clara Deitrich, Edna Filson, Eva Gaddis.

Burial was made in the Concord cemetery and the bearers were James Abernathy, Walter Beddenfield, John Smith, George Deitrich, Perry Leonard and John Yeck.

Goveia.

Funeral services were held Monday afternoon at 2 o'clock for Agnes Ruth Goveia, the three weeks old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Goveia, five miles north of the city. A solo was given by Mrs. Charles Pires and the flowers were cared for by Misses Ethel Sorrells and Irene Burgess. Burial was made in Ebenezer cemetery.

THE BIRTH RECORD

Born, to Dr. and Mrs. Walter L. Frank, of 400 S. Diamond street, a son, Monday.

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50c Ladies' union suits, special price 40c
50c Misses' fine quality fleeced union suits 40c
$1.00 Men's union suits, extra good weight 80c
50c Men's separate shirts and drawers, extra good weight 40c
50c Boys' union suits, extra good weight 40c
25c Boys' separate shirts and drawers, extra good weight 19c

Children's separate fleeced garments, vests or pants, ecru or gray, at a reduction of 20 per cent.

50c Ladies' fleeced vests or pants, full bleached, now 40c
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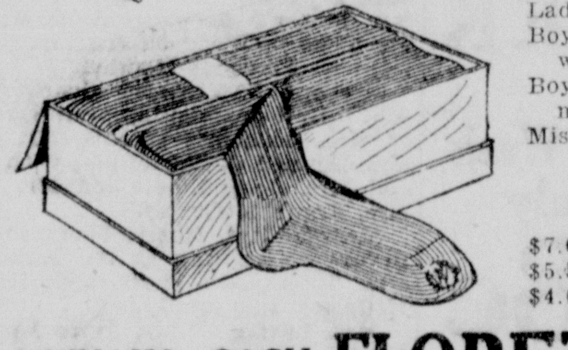
Ask for EIFFLE HOSIERY. We always carry in stock a complete line of this popular brand of hose noted for best to wear, lowest in price.

Ladies' Black Hose in Light, Medium or Heavy weight 25c
Ladies' Black Hose in Light, Medium or Heavy weight, 15c, 2 pair 25c
Ladies' Black Hose in medium weight, 10c; 3 for 25c
Boys' or Miss Black fine Ribbed Hose in Fleeced or medium weight 25c
Boys' or Miss Black fine or heavy Ribbed Hose, in fleeced or medium weights, 15c; 2 pairs 25c
Miss Black fine Ribbed Hose, medium weight, 10c, 3 pair 25c



All Wool Blankets at Reduction

$7.00 and $6.50 All Wool White Blankets, special price $5.48
$5.50 All Wool Grey and White Blankets, special price $4.48
$4.00 Wool Grey and White Blankets, special price $3.48

ALWAYS CASH FLORETH COMPANY ALWAYS CASH

GOES TO ST. LOUIS.

James E. Armitage, floor manager for the local store of S. S. Kresge Co., has received a well deserved promotion and gone to a similar position in the Kresga store in St. Louis. Mr. Armitage came to Jacksonville from Wilkesport, Ontario, and during the nineteen months of his residence here has formed many warm friends.

George Edman of Lima, O., succeeds Mr. Armitage as floor manager here.

FARMERS CLUB TO MEET WEDNESDAY.

Attention is called to the meeting of the Farmers' club which will be held Wednesday afternoon in the circuit court room at 1:30 o'clock. "Farm Tenantry" will be the general subject for discussion, and it is the hope that there may be a general expression of views from the standpoint of both the land owner and tenant.

Still at BOXELL'S Old Stand

16 lbs Sugar — With a purchase of 2 lbs. any price coffee and one package soda (10c) Or 3 lbs. of rice (25c) and 2 bottles extract at 15c each.

10 bars Swift's Pride Soap for 25c with a purchase of 1 lb of any price coffee.
87c buys a sack of Western Queen Flour.
Pearl Tapioca, good and fresh, at 9c lb.
Baker's Chocolate, best on earth, at 9c cake.
Extra large size bottle blueing, 5c.
Special bargain in floor brooms—only 29c—while the last. Try our line of Roxane Health Foods.
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Curtain Draperies for Spring

Reveals Wonderful Opportunities for Money-Saving

Having one's window draped attractively and in good taste is not so much a matter of expense as it is one of JUDGMENT in the selection of materials. If you have any occasion to doubt this statement, glance at our north window the next time you are in the neighborhood of our store. House cleaning time will soon be here and it will pay you to anticipate your wants in this line while our showing is still crisp and new.

You will be sure of getting the BEST STYLES—the very pick of the mills' choicest patterns in fact—and you need never be obliged to pay more than you can afford *to get the best.*

Exclusiveness of Style Dominates Our

Advance Display of Dress Goods and Silks for Spring

In all points of style, service, quality and price our fine goods always satisfy. This satisfaction continues long after the price is forgotten.

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on certain articles of merit has firmly established this firm's record for square dealing. This week we show our appreciation by offering the following bargains to our trade:

No. 1 50 pieces 12½c spring Ginghams in all colors, at 10c
No. 2 Twelve dozen 58-inch Table Covers, a wonderful value, at 79c
No. 3 Twelve dozen pin seal and Tokio leather strap Purses, at 98c
No. 4 Case of new Percales, light and dark grounds, at per yd 12½c
No. 5 New assortment Crepe de Chine Handkerchiefs, at .... 25c and 35c
No. 6 $2.50 Perfect Fit Petticoats, spring models, at $1.98
No. 7 Latest decrees in My Lady's Collars, at .... 10c to $2.00
No. 8 Our appreciation special—$1.50 spring model Corset at $1.00
No. 9 Boot Silk Hose in all spring shades, at per pair 50c

See Courier for Apparel Ad. — C. J. DEPPE & CO. Known for Ready-to-wear — See Courier for Apparel Ad.

Here We Are for This Week

Large, tall cans Milk, dozen 95c
Large cans New York Pack Tomatoes, dozen $1.10
Large No. 3 cans California Cling Peaches, dozen $1.30
Large No. 3 cans White Cherries, dozen $1.60
Large No. 2 cans Solid Pack Black Raspberries, dozen $1.65
(Worth at retail 20c per can)
Good standard Corn, per dozen 85c
Good standard Early June Peas, dozen 85c
A few dozen of our Pure Kaiser Inn Brand of Preserves left, while they last per dozen, ... $1.75

Space does not permit us to quote any more. Call. Let us demonstrate to you that our stock is the largest, cleanest, best selected stock and our price a-way below the market.

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This Is SKATE WEEK

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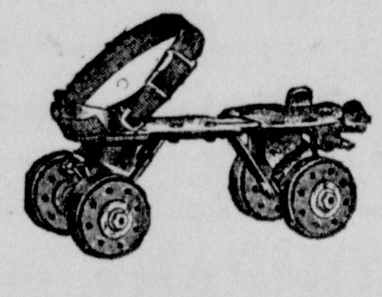

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SECOND SPECIAL SESSION OF LEGISLATURE COMES TO AND END

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., Feb. 14.—The second special session of the Illinois legislature was shoved into history today when three members of each house met at noon and adjourned sine die after performing a few formalities.

In the absence of Lieutenant Governor O'Hara, Senator Stephen D. Canaday presided. Senators Manny, Compton and E. S. Smith were present. In the house Speaker David Shanahan presided over Representatives Igoe and Merritt.

Resolutions were introduced in both houses appointing committees to inform each branch of the legislature that the other branch was in session. Then other resolutions were introduced appointing committees to receive Governor Dunne's message on the veto of the appropriation to reimburse Mr. and Mrs. Scott Durand for the slaughter of their cattle by the state board of livestock commissioners.

Motions to adjourn followed rapidly and both senators and representatives made a dash for the elevators and their trains. The first special session is to meet again Feb. 23.

ENGINEERS ASK INCREASE.

Chicago, Feb. 14.—Engineers of the Chicago & Eastern Illinois railroad have asked for an increase in wages it was announced by W. J. Jackson, the receiver today. This railroad runs southeast from Chicago, with a branch to St. Louis and always has been classed as an eastern road. For this reason it was not include in the western wage case of a year ago when slight increases were granted western engineers and firemen.

The Old Reliable

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All kinds of harness mending done promptly.

Get ready for spring work.

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MOVING BACK TO MURRAYVILLE FROM LARIMORE, NORTH DAKOTA

Families of Dillard Fitzsimmons and John Fitzsimmons Will Again Reside in Morgan County—Other News from Woodson.

The many friends of Dillard Fitzsimmons and John Fitzsimmons will be pleased to learn that they will again make Murrayville their home, after living for sometime at Larimore, North Dakota. The wives have already arrived with the children and the men are coming later with the stock and household goods.

Shipped Stock to Market.

William Rook shipped a car load of hogs and butcher stuff to the East St. Louis markets Monday.

All Day Dinner.

The Ladies' Aid society of the Christian church of Woodson is planning to give an all day dinner Thursday at the home of Mrs. Henry Grunder, one-half mile south of Woodson.

Relative Is Ill.

Stephen B. Shelton has been called to Athensville on account of the illness of his uncle, Col. Wesley Shelton, who is down with the pneumonia.

Returns from Hospital.

Mrs. George Newman, who has been a patient for several weeks at Our Savior's hospital, returned to her home in Woodson Monday.

Personal Mention.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Goacher of White Hall are visiting at the home of Mrs. Goacher's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Gallagher also with Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Self and Mr. and Mrs. Frank McCurley.

Mr. and Mrs. Morris Thompson of Berea are visiting at the home of Mrs. Thompson's sister, Mrs. Frank McCurley and family.

Mrs. Lavina Ealy, who has recently returned from Oregon and North California, is visiting at the home of her sister, Edward Cale and family of Woodson.

Robert Anderson has returned from a three days' visit in Roodhouse, where he visited his daughter, Mrs. Edward White.

ANCONA SURVIVOR FILES CLAIMS AMOUNTING TO $120,000

NEW YORK, Feb. 14.—Dr. Cecila L. Greil, the only American born citizen among the survivors of the torpedoed Italian liner Ancona, announced at her home today that she had filed in Washington claims amounting to $120,000. From the Austrian government she demands $100,000 and from the United States $20,000, including $5,000 cash, which she says was lost with the liner.

Dr. Greil said that she would go to Washington Wednesday in the hope of obtaining an interview with President Wilson. She added that she hoped to have her claims settled in such a way as to be regarded as a precedent for other Americans who might find their positions similar to hers as a result of accidents beyond their control.

SENTENCE THREE YOUTHS FROM ONE YEAR TO LIFE IMPRISONMENT

CHICAGO, Feb. 14—Three youths, two seventeen years old and third (colored) sixteen years old, were sentenced from one year to life imprisonment today in the criminal court after they had pleaded guilty to charges of robbery. The boys will be sent to the Pontiac, Ill. Reformatory. Four other youths, ranging in age from 16 to 18, were placed on probation.

WOMAN IS SHOT TO DEATH.

Macon, Ga., Feb. 14.—Miss Rosa Lee Eubanks, twenty years old, cashier for a local manufacturing company, was shot to death on a downtown street here early tonight, two pistol shots being fired from an automobile which is said to have passed her at high speed. J. A. Branam, a well known young man was arrested charged with the shooting, and later a taxicab driver was also arrested. Feeling ran high tonight and a cordon of police and deputies surrounded the jail where Branam was held. No cause is known for the shooting.

VOTE FRANCHISE EXTENSION.

Waterloo, Ia., Feb. 14.—An extension of an electric franchise for an additional fifteen years was granted the Citizens' Gas and Electric company by the voters here today. Altho the election was spirited the company won by a majority of 833 votes. The present franchise will expire in ten years, but the company asked an additional fifteen years, claiming this action was necessary before a program of improvements can be carried out.

HAS LEG AMPUTATED.

Madison, Wis., Feb. 14.—Alex Hendricksen, well known as a ski jumper yesterday submitted to an operation in St. Mary's hospital, having his right leg above the knee amputated. He was injured last Friday. At the hospital his progress is regarded as favorable.

MAY HAVE TO POSTPONE FIGHT.

Chicago, Feb. 14—Jess Willard's fight with Moran, March 8, may have to be postponed because of trouble which the big fellow is having with a cold which has settled in his throat. Willard lost several days of training a week ago because of the cold. Then he went at it again but lacked vigor and today he remained at home.

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MRS. LOUISE NASH ORR PASSES AWAY SUDDENLY

Succumbs to Stroke of Apoplexy at Home South of Chapin.

Chapin and vicinity were shocked by the sudden death of Mrs. Louise Nash Orr, who died suddenly at 11:20 Sunday night at the home of her brother, David Nash, south of Chapin. Apoplexy was the cause. She had gotten supper for the family of her brother and while at the table she complained of a pain in her head; she suddenly collapsed; her head fell forward, her arms dropped at her side and in that condition she was carried to bed and a physician was summoned, but his efforts were unavailing and she passed away as stated.

She was born near Concord April 15, 1856, and was the daughter of Thomas and Lottie Nash. She was married to Marion Orr Oct. 16, 1873, and was the mother of two children, Thomas A., of Sioux City, Ia., and Benjamin of Chapin. She also leaves five brothers, Calvin, David and James of Chapin, William of Kewanee and George of Jacksonville; two sisters, Mrs. Mary Means of Keokuk and Mrs. Anna Means of Springfield. Her husband died in February, 1890. Her parents and two brothers and two sisters are dead and for several years she has lived with her brother. She was a member of the M. P. church at Chapin and has spent the greater part of her life in the vicinity of that place. She was a woman of many excellent qualities and much respected by a large circle of friends.

The time of the funeral has not been announced.

GIDEONS WILL HOLD SERVICES HERE ON SUNDAY MARCH, FIFTH

Members of the Christian Commercial Travelers Association Are Anticipating Memorable Event.

The Gideons, the Christian Commercial Travelers association, have accepted the recent invitation of the Jacksonville Ministerial association, and will be here Sunday, Mar. 5th, taking charge of the services in the local churches that day. It is planned to make this one of the big events of the year.

Real "live wire" traveling salesmen from all parts of the state will be here, having charge of the services—men who sell thousands of dollars worth of goods annually, and meet level-headed business men every day will deliver the gospel message from the practical standpoint of the commercial man. They will explain the Bible work being done by their organization, how they have placed over three hundred thousand Bibles in guest rooms of hotels and other work they are doing for the moral uplift and salvation of their fellow traveling men. Full announcement of the services will be made later.

ANNUAL OPEN MEETING OF PHI OMEGA SOCIETY

Members of Illinois College Organization Will Give Program This Evening.

The Phi Omega society of Illinois college will hold their annual open meeting this evening at 8 o'clock in recital hall at the Conservatory. The following will be the program:

Current events—Miss Jane Ninde.

Dances of Gnomes, Liszt—Gertrude Kumle.

Liebeslied (Violin) — Farrartini Elman. Melody—Kieisler. Scherzo—Van Gomes: Dean Cochran.

Paper, "How to Listen to Music" —Mary Alexander.

Eight Raphsodie, Liszt—Helen Struck.

The night, calmly and peacefully, Verdi—Rebecca Scheibel.

Trio in E flat major. Opus 14 No. 4, Mozart, Andante—Helen Sorrells, violin; Carl Hill, Viola; Mary Daniels, pianist.

The president of the society, Miss Inez Pires will preside at the meeting and Miss Mabel Forrester will act as secretary.

PROPOSED LAW CHANGED.

A suffrage paper mentions the recent bill which Congressman Norris of Nebraska has introduced in the house. It provides for the abolishment of the electoral college and gives to the people the right to vote direct for candidates for the president and vice president. To Mrs. Frank M. Roessing of Pennsylvania and Mrs. Antoinette Funk of Illinois belong the credit for calling attention to the wording of the proposed law which would have made it illegal for women in Illinois to vote for presidential candidates. The attention of the congressman was called to this fact and he has amended the measure accordingly.

HAS MEMBERSHIP IN AMERICAN RED CROSS

Miss Ella Walker, R. N., received from Washington, D. C., Monday notice of membership and emblem button of the American Red Cross society. In the past few months a number of nurses in the United States have joined the Red Cross organization and many have gone to serve on the battlefields of Europe.

Jacksonville nurses already having Red Cross membership are Miss Lucy A. Mount, Miss Velma Davies and Miss Sadie Guild.

ANNOUNCE INCREASE IN PRICES

Omaha Feb. 14.—Local implement dealers announced tonight as effective tomorrow a general increase in the price of all implements. The increase averages 10 per cent. An increase of two cents per pound in the price of binding twine was also announced. Farmers, it is said, knew an increase was proposed and have protested to the dealers.

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Always Found in Our J. Capps & Sons All Wool Suits

The new spring Line of Capps' 100% Pure Wool Clothing now ready at our store.

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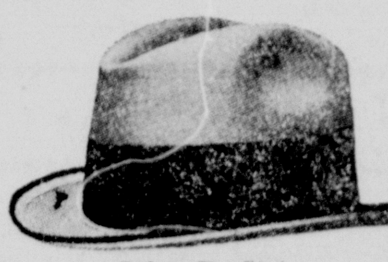

John B. Stetson

THEY ARE HERE

Longley Hats.

New Spring Styles in Hats

We are now ready to show you all the new shapes and colors for Spring in Stetson's and Longley's Famous Hats—also a complete line of Spring Caps.

Spring Suits

We have received a large shipment of our Spring Suits. Call and look them over, they are beauties—$15 to $20.

Holeproof Hosiery and Gloves for Men, Women and Children

See our New LUXITE Silk Hose for Ladies and Gents

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We are showing the Latest Styles in SpringShirts and Neckwear

WEBER TO BLOOMINGTON: WILL BOOST HIGHWAY

A meeting of the directors of the Bloomington Commercial club was held last night in Bloomington for discussion of an extension of the Burlington way. Carl H. Weber, of this city, John Search of Williamsville and H. C. Wilhite of Greenfield, appeared before the directors. It is proposed to extend the highway to Bloomington and thence to Chicago, but the proposal to use Bloomington as a connecting line with Chicago is causing opposition on the part of a large number who favor other routes.

WILL TAKE CHARGES BEFORE FLOOD COMMITTEE

Little Rock, Ark., Feb. 14.—Charges growing out of the ill-feeling of residents of Lake Village and vivinity toward federal army engineers stationed along the Mississippi river over the need of federal assistance for flood sufferers, probably will be taken before the congressional flood commission when it meets in Memphis Tuesday, according to a statement made today by Judge Harry C. Cook of Chicot county. Judge Cook adheres to his statement that 4,000 persons in Lake Village and vicinity will need aid within a few days and that rations for 1,000 people for two weeks are needed immediately.

CHILDREN BURNED TO DEATH

Duluth, Minn., Feb. 14—Adeline Mackyol, aged 3 and Frederick Mackyol, aged 4, were burned to death and their mother, Mrs. Gus Mackyol, of this city, was fatally injured tonight in a fire which destroyed their home. "Dick", a white bull dog, had evidently tried to save the children as his dead body was found nearby. Explosion of a kerosene lamp caused the fire.

SEE THOSE **REPRODUCTIONS** OF **FAMOUS PAINTINGS** NOW ON DISPLAY

A Splendid Gift Opportunity

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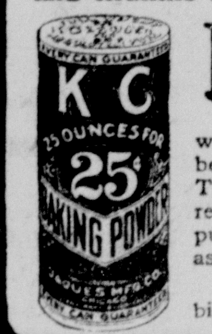
Mix the Breakfast Biscuits the Night Before—

Set Them Away in a Cool Place and Bake them Fresh in the Morning

If the family do not all eat breakfast together, you can bake a few at a time. If you are having hot biscuits for supper, mix and cut out enough more for breakfast. They will be much nicer freshly baked than warmed over.

Of course you can't do this very successfully with sour milk and soda or with any of the old fashioned, single acting baking powders, but this convenient way of making hot biscuits and muffins for breakfast is entirely satisfactory if you use



KC BAKING POWDER

which is really a blend of two baking powders, one of which begins to give off leavening gas as soon as moisture is added. The other is inactive until heat is applied. The dough will remain in a partly leavened condition for hours and when put in the oven will come up just as light and fluffy as if freshly mixed.

Get a can of K C today and try this easy way of baking biscuits at once. You'll never go back to the old way. 51

MR. AND MRS. W. W. YOUNG GIVE VALENTINE PARTY

Was Also Anniversary of Their Marriage—Other News of Literberry Neighborhood.

Mrs. W. W. Young of Maple Mound, and St. Valentine have the same day for an anniversary, so Mrs. Young and her husband gave a valentine dinner Sunday and also called it her anniversary; blending the two great events into one, which was very appropriate as well as entertaining. Candy hearts were given to the guest before dinner, place cards in the shape of hearts, beautifully decorated, with a verse suitable for the occasion, and corresponding with the candy heart showed each guest their place at the table. The arrangements were very nice and we can not say anything that would give you an idea of the dinner, better than to say that it was a standard Literberry dinner. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Liter, Mr. and Mrs. John Daniels and son Harold Lee, Mr. and Mrs. Earn Young, Mr. and Mrs. John Young and daughter Helen, Mr. Willard Young, Sr., Mrs. Sara Stevenson, Mr. George Liter, Riley Young, Mrs. Dave Campbell and children, Katy and Byron of Jacksonville, Mrs. Norman and children Lenora nad Ralph of Springfield, Arthur Liter and D. K. McCarty. This party certainly enjoyed and appreciated the feast, while the host enjoyed the sociability of her guests as well as the nice presents she received.

Mr. and Mrs. Clubbs, of Quincy, mother and stepfather of Joe Benard of Corner Cottage on West Capitol Boulevard, came over a week ago to help Mr. Joe in the sickness of his family and are still with him. They think of locating here and we are sure they would make a very acceptable addition to our population, for we believe they are people who would raise the morals of any neighborhood they may sojourn in.

Ben Todd Liter has been shelling corn for several days.

The revival being conducted at the Christian church by Rev. C. G. Cantrall and Rev. Hale of Indiana, is growing in interest. Sunday night the house was full and gave the best of attention during the whole service.

With fairly good weather, the beautiful solos and duets, the fervent prayers and the deep feeling sermons we cannot see why there should not be a great success in this meeting.

Rev. C. G. Cantrall has received a crate of delicious grape fruit, fresh from his grape fruit plantation in Florida. This fruit is of the latest improved variety, both seedless and coreless. Mr. Cantrall is proud of the shipment.

Our town will soon boast an orchestra, there were four pieces going full swing Sunday night at the Christian church and they made the song service sound much better than usual.

I was very much pleased this morning to receive a call from the youngest one of our family here at the hospital, little James Robert Deaton, son of Mr. and Mrs. Edward A. Deaton of Strawns Crossing. Mrs. Deaton will be remembered as Miss Tenny Baxter of Woodson. This little babe was born Feb. 1 and is named after his Grandfather Deaton. I am introducing this little man to his Literberry relatives and they will do well to make his acquaintance. This is the fifth child of the parents and he is a fine big boy with blue eyes and brown hair. He has good features and a noble head. In fact, he is the best looking baby we have seen for some time and we feel sure he will make a wise man. He looks pretty wise now, trying to put two fists into one small mouth. God bless the babies.—Mrs. D. K. McCarty, at Dr. Day's hospital.

PURCHASES RESIDENCE PROPERTY

Charles Rabjohn yesterday completed a transaction which has been pending for some time and purchased from M. F. Dunlap the Day property on Westminster street. This residence which was the home of the late Wallace P. Day during his residence in Jacksonville, subsequent to the death of his wife, became the property of their two daughters who live in the east. Robert M. Hockenhull for some years managed their affairs and since his death M. F. Dunlap has had the estate matters in charge. The house was occupied for a number of years by Mr. and Mrs. John A. Vickery but has been vacant for several months past. Mr. Rabjohn will at once proceed to make some extensive improvements in the property.

MONDAY IN CONGRESS.

Senate.

Met at noon.

Discussed conference report on urgent deficiency bill.

Military affairs committee began executive consideration of army reorganization plan.

Adjourned at 5:25 p. m. to noon Tuesday.

House.

Met at noon.

Rear Admiral Grant testified before naval affairs committee that larger submarines were needed in the navy.

Representative Hill spoke on the dyestuffs situation.

Debate on the postoffice appropriation bill continued.

Adjourned at 5 p. m. until noon Tuesday.

SEEING THINGS.

Residents of the west end of the city were much interested Monday evening in what appeared to be two new planets in the western sky. The planets appeared one directly above the other and attracted a great deal of attention. It is up to some scientist to explain the nature of the new bodies in the western heavens.

PROGRAM ANNOUNCED FOR CONFERENCE AT BAPTIST CHURCH

Two Days' Meeting Thursday and Friday of Morgan-Scott Counties Associations.

On Thursday and Friday of this week a two days' conference of the Morgan-Scott counties association church of the "Five Year Program" will be held at the First Baptist church. The program follows:

Thursday Evening, Feb. 17. — 7:30 p. m. Devotional service—Rev. Percy W. Stephens.

Address, "Why I Am Interested in the Heathen"—Rev. L. W. Cronkhite, D. D., missionary to Bassein, Burma.

Address, "The Call of the Hour"—Rev. J. Y. Aitchison, D. D.

Friday Morning, Feb. 18.

Theme, "Personal Evangelism."

Note—Morning, afternoon and evening sessions will be in charge of the team leader, Rev. W. B. Morris.

10 a. m. Devotional meeting to be held in a small, quiet room. Doors to be closed at 10:05, so meeting may proceed without interruption.

Subject, "The Price of Power"—Rev. D. H. Toomey.

10:40 a. m. Fifteen minute addresses on the possibilities and advantages of:

(1) An Every Member Canvass for Current Expenses and Benevolence—Carl H. Weber.

(2) A Fellowship Canvass—Fred Walbaum.

(3) An Evangelistic Canvass—George Beekman.

11:30 a. m. Inspirational address. Subject, "Taking Men Alive"—Rev. Percy W. Stephens.

12 m. Adjournment.

Friday Afternoon, Feb. 18.

Theme—"The Relation of the Local Church and of the Association to the Five-Year Program."

2:00 p. m. Fifteen-minute addresses:

(1) "Enlisting the Young People"—Rev. B. P. Johnson.

(2)—"Enlisting Sunday Schools"—Miss Nettie Hayden.

(3) "Enlisting Women's Societies"—Mrs. S. C. Fulmer.

(4)—"Enlisting the Men"—Rev. F. M. Crabtree.

Note—The consideration of each of the above topics will be followed by general discussion.

4:00 p. m.—Address, "Making the Most of It"—Rev. W. B. Morris.

Friday Evening, Feb. 18.

7:30 p. m.—Devotional service—Rev. Roy Marsh.

7:45 p. m.—Five ten-minute addresses upon the various objectives of the Five-Year program.

First Goal—S. D. McKenny.

Second Goal—Mrs. Percy Stephens.

Third Goal—Carl E. Robinson.

Fourth Goal—Rev. Fred R. Johnson.

Fifth Goal—Mrs. S. C. Fulmer.

8:45 p. m.—Address: "The Five Year Program as an Answer to the Present Day Demands for Church Efficiency"—Rev. S. H. Bowyer, D. D.

GAS STRUCK IN WELL SUNK ON J. W. MERRIGAN'S MORGAN ST., LOT

Flame Burns Brightly and Further Investigating Work Will be Done—Gas Comes Thru Twenty-five Feet of Water.

Gas has been struck in the well which is being drilled by Hudson & Sons for John W. Merrigan on his West Morgan street property. When the drill reached a distance of 120 feet Saturday a distinct odor of gas was noticed but not until Monday was any test made. Then the gas was lighted and it is now burning to a height of about 18 inches above the ground. In all probability only a pocket of gas exists at this point, but Mr. Merrigan has stopped operations on the well until some further investigations are made. He had the well started for a water supply and water is what he is looking for, but of course would not object at all to having a supply of gas sufficient in quantity to furnish the heat in his manufacturing department. The gas comes up thru twenty five feet of water.

DINNER FOR MR. ROWE.

A very pleasant surprise was given Charles A. Rowe Sunday in honor of his birthday. When Mr. Rowe returned home from church to his delightful surprise he found a few close friends there ready with their heartiest congratulations and best wishes for his continued welfare and happiness. The guests thoroly enjoyed the hospitality extended them, together with the splendid dinner prepared by the hostess of the occasion, Mrs. Anna M. Boddy, who gave most certain evidence of her culinary ability. The company included A. M. Masters, Dr. J. R. Harker and A. C. Rice, of this city; Frank E. Drury of Orleans, W. W. Goff of Pleasant Plains and Leigh F. Maxey of Curran. Several of the company have specialized in agriculture or animal husbandry and have thus been brought in close touch with Mr. Rowe in his extensive work in this line. The afternoon was spent in a very happy way socially and the occasion was one long to be remembered with pleasure.

A Friend.

CHANGE OF FIRM.

Jacksonville, Feb. 14, 1916.

I have this day sold an interest in my jewelry business to Charles P. Thompson, and the store will be conducted from this date under the name of Russell & Thompson. Mr. Thompson has been in my employ for many years and is known to all my customers. Our aim i nthe future, as in the past, will be to render the most skillful service and sell the best goods at the lowest prices. C. H. Russell.

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TIRED BUSINESS MAN.

"I'm sick of that expression, 'the tired business man,'" observed the melancholy boarder. "I don't see why a business man should be more fatigued than anybody else. I have to walk seventeen miles to this boarding house every evening, and as I drag my leaden feet along, verst after verst, and kilometer after parasang, the tired business men go whizzing past me in their automobiles, and I envy their brand of weariness."

"Yet there is much to make the business men tired," explained the star boarder. "It isn't physical weariness that oppresses him so much as soul weariness. The business man is the fall guy for everybody. If a stranger comes into this town bearing a gold brick, he first calls upon the business men and endeavors to dispose of it, and generally succeeds for the merchant is pretty sure to fall for it, fearing he will miss a good thing, and that this competitor will snap it up.

"Last summer I was walking along a country road when I saw a big new barn near a farmer's house: I am a man of genius, my dear Mrs. Jiggers, and am always having inspirations. No sooner did I see that new barn than a great scheme flashed upon me. I went in and saw the farmer, and obtained his permission to have the announcements of our merchant princes painted upon the building. The farmer got his barn painted for nothing, by our arrangement, and he didn't object to some instructive reading matter on it. He always did have a taste for literature, he said.

"I made a beautiful drawing of the barn, and then went around to see our leading business men, supposing they would hail with delight the opportunity to have their business announcements painted upon that beautiful and imposing structure.

"But they were all tired business men. They had been worked so often recently that they wanted a long rest. But a man doesn't reach my years, Mrs. Jiggers, without knowing a few tricks. After I had been turned down by a few merchant princes, including Wigglemeyer, the clothier, I went into Sam Ochre's hand-me-downs palace.

"As soon as I produced my chart of the barn he tried to shoo me out of the place. I was determined to explain the scheme to him, however, and managed to do it. Then he reared up and said he wouldn't give five cents a mile for that kind of advertising. 'When I advertise in the newspaper,' said he, 'the husband and father reads that paper aloud to his family, by the blazing hearth, and they are informed that I am selling suspenders for less than cost. But no parent ever carries a barn home, to read it to his family. I want my advertising to reach the family, and families do not subscribe for barns.'

"I must admit it was sound logic, but there wasn't any money in logic for me. I smiled cheerfully, and rolled up my chart, and said, 'Very well, Mr. Ochre. I don't believe in cheapening such a majestic opportunity by arguing over it. Mr. Wiggelmeyer, your competitor, is pretty near frantic to get a position on this barn, next to pure reading matter, but he isn't a personal friend of mine as you are, and I told him I felt it a moral duty to give you the first chance. I promised him he should have the second, and he's sweating ice water over in his store right now, waiting for me to return with good news or bad.'

"Nothing more was necessary, Mrs. Jiggers. Ochre had seen me coming out of Wiggelmeyer's, and it never occurred to him to doubt my statement, which shows how dangerous is credulity. He took up a lot of valuable space on the barn, and the others fell easily, when they saw his name. But when he found out, as he doubtless did, that my story about his competitor was a fairy tale he must have been a tired business man."

HOME SANITARIUM DAMAGED BY FIRE SUNDAY MORNING

The Home Sanitarium, 323 West Morgan street, operated by Dr. A. H. Kenniebrew, was badly damaged by fire Sunday afternoon. The fire was discovered about 2:20 o'clock. The the department made a quick response, but when it arrived the entire roof was in flames. The department did some effective work and soon had the fire under control. Damage to the house will amount to several hundred dollars. The contents were more or less damaged in the removal from the house. Both building and contents are fully covred by insurance.

Fortunately at the time of the fire there were only two patients in the sanitarium and these were removed safely.

The fire in the opinion of Chief Hunt started from an overheated furnace pipe in the basement. The flames followed the pipe inside the walls and soon reached the roof and spread rapidly. Neighbors worked strenuously and removed the furniture, but some of it was damaged in removal.

ROLL CALL TONIGHT.

Jacksonville Lodge No. 152, of Knights of Pythias, will hold the annual roll call tonight at Castle hall. A program has been arranged to accompany the calling of the roll. All Pythians will be welcome.

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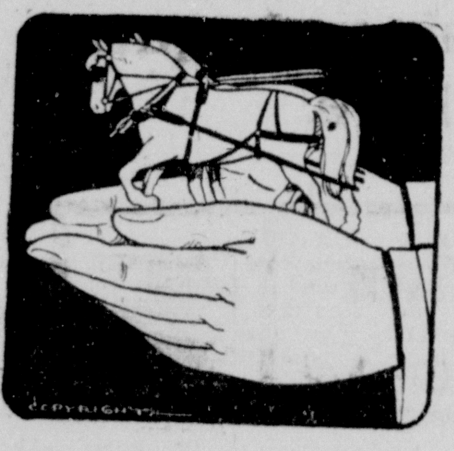

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Some Facts About Roads and Legal Methods for Their Betterment

The state highway department estimates the cost of one mile of 15 feet wide concrete road on the average road in Morgan county to be $12,500. If a mile of such road is built one-half of its cost comes from auto license fees collected by the state and the other half, $6,250, must be raised by the county. If this amount is raised by general taxation municipal property will pay $2,000 and farm property $4,250. Such a road will cost farm property 80 cents a running foot.

Five good ears of corn from each acre of corn grown in the county will pay the farm property's share of the cost of each mile of this 15 feet wide concrete road. A bushel of corn from each acre of corn grown in Morgan county will pay farm property's part of 15 miles of this 15 feet wide concrete road. A bushel of wheat from each acre of wheat grown in the county will pay farm property's share of seven miles of this 15 feet concrete road.

If the farmers of Morgan county will increase their yield of corn and wheat one bushel per acre and devote this increased yield annually to building concrete roads 15 feet wide at the estimated cost of $12,500 per mile they will pay farm property's part of the cost of 22 miles of these roads each year. And if they did this they would be building roads entirely too rapidly for the state and municipal property in the county to meet their share of the cost without a bond issue.

The state road and bridge fund for 1915 and 1916 amounts to two million dollars all of which comes from auto license fees. One million dollars of this fund is available for use in 1916 on state aid roads and this amount less $10,000 reserved for maintenance of state aid roads heretofore constructed has been alloted by the state highway department to the counties of the state in proportion to the amount of road and bridge tax collected in each county.

The allotment to Morgan county is $6,611. The total amount of license fees collected from autos owned in Morgan county in 1914 was $32,033.29. Thus Morgan county received from the state road and bridge fund, which comes entirely from auto license fees, for use in 1916 improvements more than twice as much as her citizens contributed to the fund in 1914. This occurs because a number of counties pay a greater amount of auto license fees than they receive from the state road and bridge fund as for example Cook county which paid in 1914 $293,130.53 in auto license fees and will receive only $77,477 for road improvement in 1916. Autos owned in Illinois outside of Morgan county are paying more toward state aid road improvement in Morgan county than are the autos owned within the county.

The law provides that the state road and bridge fund shall be alloted to counties in proportion to the amount of road and bridge tax collected in each county. The law also provides that county boards shall put all municipalities into road districts so that property therein shall pay road taxes. The county board of Morgan county has not put Jacksonville and South Jacksonville into any road district and neither of these municipalities is paying road taxes, hence Morgan county is not receiving as much from the state road and bridge fund as she would have received had the county board complied with the law. The board has put all the municipalities in the county except Jacksonville and South Jacksonville into road districts and except the two later all municipalities are paying road tax. Just why the county board in its wisdom has seen fit to make this discrimination can probably be readily explained by its members.

If Jacksonville had been put in road district No. 7 as contemplated by the road low she would have had funds available to pay for a connecting hard road between the state aid road on the Morton road and the Hardin avenue pavement. The law was drawn to meet just such conditions as exist on East Morton avenue. Other municipalities have profited by this wise provision of the law. Over at Beardstown they have three or four miles of hard roads east of the city limts. In order to connect the hard road east of the cty limits with the business section of the city a mile or more of pavement on a city street was required. What did Beardstown do. She paved the street.

Jacksonville—well the Morton road state aid road is not connected with the Hardin avenue pavement notwitustanding the fact that the farmers east of Jacksonville offered to pay over half the cost of the connecting pavement.

Jacksonville and South Jacksonville should be in road district No. 7. The prosperity of Jacksonville and her citizens to a certain extent depends on the condition of the roads leading into the city. Her business men are far more interested in the condition of the roads in district 7 than are the farmers who live along these roads. The farmer in district 7 uses the roads when he comes to town and is vitally interested only in the road he travels. The business man in Jacksonville is vitally interested in every road leading into the city of Jacksonville because over these roads comes a great part of the trade. If Jacksonville were in road district 7 property in the city would have to pay road taxes but these taxes need not be burdensome and if they were properly expended it would take but a few years to put the roads and bridges in road district No. 7 in such condition that they would not require much future expenditure. A broad view of the city's best interests, a look into the future demands that Jacksonville go into road district No. 7.

The dirt roads leading into Jacksonville pavements have for years been notoriously bad. Jacksonville has demanded good roads in the farm sections and has given the farmers coming into the city the worst roads in the county to travel over. Jacksonville should set the example for the rest of the county in the matter of road improvement.

The people of Jacksonville might well give more attention to the betterment of the highways. The roads nearest the city should be first considered. There are about 70 miles of roads in road district 7. Twenty-two miles are designated state aid roads, 12 miles are joint roads and the remaining 36 miles are roads in entire charge of the road district. Every one driving into the city must come over some of these roads—some make the entire journey over them and others the major part of their trips. These roads will never be maintained as they should be until the people of Jacksonville lend a hand.

The effect of bad road conditions was vividly presented in the trade season preceding Christmas, 1915. The absence of cars from the trading district of Jacksonville was painfully evident. There were practically no cars from the country in town whereas when we have had good country roads at the holiday time there have been hundreds of cars. Often the square has been crowded with parked cars, but there was room enough in the 1915 holiday season. Not even the cars from nearby got into town. It must not be forgotten that good roads and autos have extended the trade territory of cities many miles further than it was in the days of old. The country southwest of us has many autos, from the Illinois river trade naturally heads to our city. We have heretofore drawn trade from west of the river. With good roads this trade would have come in 1915, but it did not come. Many car owners who would have done their shopping here bought nearer home and that trade which rightfully belonged to us is gone forever.

The Alton cut-off is drawing trade to Springfield from Roodhouse, Manchester, Murrayville and Franklin which formerly came here. The Bluff line likewise is pulling Waverly people to Springfield. Beardstown, Virginia and Ashland people have good train service to Springfield. The railroad conductors report that of recent years their passenger traffic is slack except during times when the roads are muddy. When roads are good, autos carry the shoppers.

There is but one way for Jacksonville to win back trade which naturally belongs here and which is being diverted to Springfield and other cities and that is by the extension of permanently dependable roads into those sections naturally tributary to our shopping district. With such roads and the increase in the use of cars Jacksonville would win back the trade she has all but lost and with it would come trade from more distant sections for it is well recognized that trade is now following dependable highways rather than railroads.

Illinois during the last fourteen years prior to the enactment of the Tice road law spent sixty million dollars on her roads. She was the second state in the Union in road expenditures and the twenty-third in road efficiency. It is estimated that twenty-two and a half million dollars were spent without any permanent results.

It is estimated that a hard road system on 20 per cent of the roads of Illinois would cost from 150 to 200 million dollars, and that 20 per cent of the roads carry 80 per cent of the traffic.

Two hundred million dollars is an immense sum of money but compared with the full value of property assessed for taxes in the state 6,474 million dollars it does not look so large and when compared with the real value of property in the state it grows smaller.

Value farm property in Illinois last census 3,905 million dollars.

Capital in manufacturies in Illinois last census 1,548 million dollars.

Total, 5,453 million dollars.

The road districts of Morgan County which included only farm property during the last fourteen years prior to the enactment of the Tice Road law levied for road taxes $480,356.00 All but a very small percentage of this was collected and all of the districts collected poll tax so that the total revenue of the road districts during that period easily exceeded a half million dollars. During that period all bridges in the farm sections of the county costing over one hundred dollars were built by the county. How much have the road districts now to show for that half million dollars? Is it not time to consider seriously some method of permanent betterment?

O course, money and much of it will of necessity be expended in the future for temporary road improvements but economy demands that steps be taken to elimnate as much wasteful road expenditure as soon as possible and this is doubly important when it must be admitted that even with the expenditure of a half million dollars in fourteen years on the roads in the farm sections these roads were quite or all out impassable in the usual wet and muddy seasons and never absolutely rapid driving by horse drawn vehicles or motor vehicles.

The farmer in years gone by was not particularly interested in motor transportation but he has become very much interested and with the coming of cheaper autos and a few profitable agricultural years he will be more interested in dependable roads than ever before.

FOREIGN CORRESPONDENCE

(By The Associated Press.)

New York, Jan.—The efforts of the various promoters to sign Jess Willard and Frank Moran for a ten round bout, in this state, has reached the frenzied finance stage wherein the successful bidder is likely to surpass all previous records altho he may not find the venture profitable. At the present time three proposals have been made for the services of the heavyweights.

One gives Willard $32,500 guarantee or 45 per cent of the gate receipts and 51 per cent of the moving picture profits. A second offers $32,500 flat guarantee, and a $5,000 bonus for signing while the third provides that the champon shall receive $60,000 for two ten round bouts.

Moran, in the role of challenger, is not so liberally treated, altho the offers to him would make old time pugilists green wth envy. One promotor promised the sorrel topped boxer $15,000 for his end of a bout with Willard, another raised this to $17,000 and a third offered $30,000 for his services in two ten round bouts.

All these propositions are based upon a ten round no-decsion bout to be held in or near New York City within the next three months. Nothing lke these sums has ever been put up for such a contest in the past history of the ring. The record purse is, of course, the $101,000 given by Tex Rickard for the Jeffries-Johnson fight at Reno, Nev., July 4, 1910.

The largest sum ever paid to pugilists for a ten round contest such as Willard and Moran are asked to sign for was the $32,500 purse given for the McFarland-Gibbons bout here September 11, 1915. McFarland received $17,500 and Gibbons $15,000. The gross receipts were announced as $58,069. Now Willard is offered as much for ten rounds as these two rings stars received jointly.

Corbett and Sullivan fought for a purse of $25,000 with a side bet of $10,000 each so that the entire value of the purse was $45,000 or less than Willard and Moran have been offered for a ten round no-decision bout. The largest gate in New York's pugilistis history was $66,300 taken in at the Jeffries-Sharkey twenty-five round fight at Coney Island, Nov. 3, 1889. This amount would not cover the expenses of the proposed bout according to the promoters striving to land the attraction.

By no stretch of immagination can a Willard-Moran bout be compared for drawing power with the Jeffries-Sharkey battle. According to the promoters, however, they expect the former pair to bring in close to $100,000 at the gate. To them at least prosperity is no longer a prospect. It is a reality, right in the midst of the fight fans.

Followng the repeated reports that the National Baseball Commission was to be dissolved, Pres. Ban Johnson of the American League has announced that he is strongly in favor of a change in the methods of conducting baseball business. He would not, however, deny or confirm the rumors that the National Commission will be reorganized.

From other sources it is reported that the high court of baseball will be reformed with a five member committee or if the three man commission remains it will consist of the presidents of the two major leagues and one independent member, well versed in all the angles of baseball without being affiliated with any of the present day interests.

If such reorganization takes place it will be the first time since the formation of the body in 1903 that the personnel of the Commission has been changed except by death or retirement from baseball. All told five men have served upon the National Commission and of these two of the original trio are still holding their positions. When the peace pact between the National and American Leagues was signed in 1903 the National Commission came into existence with the National League represented by Pres. Harry Pulliam; the American League by Pres. B. B. Johnson while the chairman was Garry Herrmann of the Cincinnati National League Club. Johnson and Herrmann have served ever since but after Pulliam's death the new president of the National League, Thomas J. Lynch, became automatically a member of the Commission. The latter was succeeded by John K. Tener when Lynch failed of reelection and Tener was made president of the senior league in 1913.

Vienna, Jan.—Austrian and Hungarian landowners and farmers are not particularly impressed with the value of Russian and Serbian prisoners of war as farm laborers. Accounts from all sides generally support the old saw, "You can lead a horse to water, but you can not make him drink."

On the whole, the prisoner of war as a farm hand seems to have been a failure. This is true for other reasons than that the prisoners have a natural aversion to work for their enemies. One of the great handicaps has been that the Russian and Serb farmers who were selected to work on the Austrian and Hungarian farms, were for the greater part untrained in the rather intensive farming methods employed in the dual monarchy. Tho the men were shown how to go about their work most of them failed to understand the reason why it had to be done a certain way. Others who did understand preferred to be careless, when not under the eyes of the overseer and guards. But few of the prisoners of war took any interest in the work. Patriotic feelings appear to have been an active deterrent for most of them.

That Austria-Hungary had a splendid crop this year is due to unusually favorable weather conditions. With an ordinary "crop year" and prisoners of war on many of the farms, the country would have fared badly, say these familiar with conditions. It is asserted that the accession in crop returns due to the labor of the prisoners of war is hardly equal to what the Russians and Serbs held in Austria-Hungary will themselves consume during the year.

It seems, however, that the labor of prisoners of war was more productive in other fields of endeavor, especially is this true where the Russians and Serbs remained altogether under the control of the military. In building roads and railroads no opportunity for shirking was given. Each gang had to do a certain amount of work; results were immediately visible and therefore susceptible to permit correction which was not the case in farming. The engineer troops under whose surveillance railroad work was done could not be easly fooled by the prisoners of war, while the farmer had he wanted to supervise his involuntary farmhand closely, could have done the work himself. Since most of the old reservists guarding the prisoners of war were city people no improvement from that direction could be expected.

German farmers who employed Russian prisoners of war are said to have obtained better results, the the Associated Press correspondent cannot say that a large landowner of the Brandenberg province with whom he discussed the matter was at all enthusiastic over the prospects of having to raise another crop with the aid of prisoners of war. He said that in addition to being most unwilling workers, the Russians he had employed failed to learn rapidly, tho he had the services of an able interpreter.

The handicaps of language have been sorely felt by both sides, of course. An improvement in this situation is now expected. Many of the Russians and Serbs have learned German and Hungarian sufficiently well to understand orders and be understood in their turn. It is likely for this reason that next year the prisoner of war will prove of greater value.

The Russian and Serbian prisoner of war is a very tractable person on the whole. Hardy any complaints have been made against them by the communities in which they worked and lived unsually with the scantiest provisions for their control. Their conduct has been very correct thruout, and they have also earned the reputation of being scrupulously clean in body and habit. Most of them carry in their minds so deep-seated a horror of the filth of the Russina and Serb fronts that the opportunity to use soap and water is fully appreciated by them. Of the thousands of Russians and Serbs the Associated Press correspondent saw on a recent trip thru Hungary and Austria but very few who had neglected themselves, and their quarters everywhere had a spic and spanness which no orders from the guards could have produced. Austro-Hungarian officers assured the correspondent that the cleanliness and orderliness exhibited was spontaneous and inherent with the men.

The Austro-Hungarians have been very mild in their treatment of the men. The best understanding exists as a rule, and what little trouble the prisoner of war has given is mostly due to his disinclination to work for, or under, a civilian. The soldier's psychology is such that as a prisoner of war he prefers to remain under military control.

Paris, Jan.—The French income tax law, passed in July 1914 after more than fifty years discussion of such a project, will take effect this year. Under the terms of the new measure every person living in France, whether a citizen or foreigner, must pay two per cent tax on the taxable portion of his income if it amounts to $1,000 or over. The taxable portion is twenty per cent of incomes of $1,000 to $2,000 a year; forty per cent of incomes ranging from $2,000 to $3,000; sixty per cent of incomes from $3,000 to $4,000 and eighty per cent of anything over $5,000.

A man earning $5,000 per year would therefore pay two per cent on $4,000 or $80 per year, and others in proportion.

The Radical element in the legislative corps under the Empire first proposed an income tax and the project was taken up by the Republican element in the National Assembly, but it took tangible form only in 1907, when Joseph Caillaux, then minister of finance, in the Clemenceau cabinet, presented an income tax bill in the chamber. It was passed by the deputies after two years discussion, but held up in senate. It was supposed to have died of inanition and its resurection was an accident. Charles Dumont, minister of finance in the Barthou cabinet, in asking the Chamber to sanction a loan of $160,000,000 for military purposes, incorporated in the law a provision that the bonds should be exempt of any tax. Caillaux seized this opportunity to resume the leadership of the Radical and Socialist elements of the Chamber that he had abandoned after the fall of his cabinet in January, 1912. He not only fought the provision in the bill exempting the new bonds from any eventual income tax, but insisted that the government bring pressure to bear upon the Senate to act upon the income tax bill passed by the Chamber. The result was the fall of the Barthou ministry and the advent of the Doumergue cabinet, with Caillaux as minister of finance. This new cabinet mmediately took up the fiscal reforms, and after a great deal of resistance and numerous modifications by the Senate, finally passed it thru both houses in July, 1914, to take effect January 1st, 1915. The war adjourned its application until January 1st, 1916.

Monsieur Ribot, the minister of finance, advised further postponement on account of the difficulties of application of the law while so many tax payers are mobilized and while twenty-five per cent of the fortune of France is tied up by the German occupation of several departments. The Chamber insisted upon the law taking effect January 1, 1916, with the privilege of payment at any time before the end of the war. The Senate refused. The Chamber insisted and Ribot, for political reasons, urged the Senate to cede.

The principal objections to the income tax as proposed by Caillaux were to the inquisitorial features of it. It provided that every person with a revenue of 5,000 francs or more should make a declaration of the total amount of his revenue, and in case the declaration might be considered suspicious by the tax department, inspectors were to be allowed to examine the person's private accounts. The first modification was the elimination of the right of the tax department to look into the tax payer's private affairs. The tax, as originally proposed, was a substitution for all other direct taxes, such as the imposition on doors and windows, the taxes on personal property and the taxes upon rentals. As adopted the income tax is additional to all others. The authors of the law themselves declare they are unable to esteem approximately what it may produce. The personal incomes in France are estimated at something like five billion dollars per year, divided among eleven million persons, ten million of whom have a total revenue of less than $500 per year, and a million having a total revenue of more than $500. One authority divides the different categories of revenue as follows

Headquarters, French Armies on West Front, Jan. —. (British Official Eye-Witness). What will the adventuruous person who attempts to walk along the French front trenches find when he reaches the Swiss frontier, the extreme point of the French right wing?

He will find a barb wire fence no more formidable than those which enclose many English meadows. After the vast and complicated fields of barb wire which protect the trenches, this fence seems absurdly inadequate and artificial to be the counterpart of the North Sea which terminates the lines at the extreme other end.

There are a few pieces of red and white canvas tied to the wire to show that at this point the neutral territory of Switzerland begins, and a single Swiss sentry stands with bayonet fixed behind a movable barrier garnished with barb wire that is set across the country road. This placid warlike scene seems an impossibly tame conclusion for 500 miles of complicated earthworks and fortifications.

One drives to the Swiss frontier thru the "Trouee de Belfort", the broad gap between the Vosges and the Swiss Jura, which offers so inviting a passage into France to the invader from the East. One passes it full speed along roads protected from German eyes by tall screens of brushwood. The roads are winding and the Germans have many lookout posts, consequently the screens are sometimes on the left, sometimes on the right, and sometimes on both sides, and one begins to feel that the Germans are everywhere.

By a sentry box there stands a man whom the French call "the man of the extreme right", the sentry who guards the furthest point of the French right wing. He is a douanier, a Customs House Officer. So long as he stands there on duty with fixed bayonet he is in perfect safety but as soon as he is relieved and goes away to rest in the neighboring village he enters the danger zone and may at any time get in the neighborhood of a German shell.

The trenches are hidden away in a wood 500 yards away, and one might think that the place was quite without defense, but nothing has been left to chance, and the French are ready for any eventuality. The Swiss sentry salutes politely as the traveler approaches the boundary and a Swiss sergeant comes out from the neighboring guard house to examine the papers.

After a little conversation across the fence that divides Switzerland from France, the sergeant proceeds to the formality which he calls "opening the frontier". Half the barrier across the road is moved aside and replaced by a large wooden table. From the French side there appear a number of peasant women with large baskets; their papers are examined by the "man of the extreme right" and they are allowed to pass up to the counter. Then buying and selling begins across the frontier counter. The Swiss government allows the peasants in the French frontier village to buy provisions and the like from the Swiss shopkeepers, who bring their wares to the frontier, provided that certain articles do not go out of the country.

He Is Self Opinionated.

Hokus—Flubdub seems to have a wonderful opinion of his knowledge.

Pokus—I should say he has. Why, I have actually heard him attempt to argue with his son, who is in his freshman year at college.—Kansas City Star.

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Get a 10-cent box now.

You men and women who can't get feeling right—who have headache, coated tongue, bad taste and foul breath, dizziness, can't sleep, are bilious, nervous and upset, bothered with a sick, gassy, disordered stomach or have a bad cold.

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Cascarets work while you sleep; cleanse the stomach, remove the sour, undigested, fermenting food and foul gases; take the excess bile from the liver and carry out of the system all the constipated waste matter and poison in the bowels.

A Cascaret tonight will straighten you out by morning—a 10-cent box from any drug store will keep your stomach sweet, liver and bowels regular, and head clear for months. Don't forget the children. They love Cascarets because they taste good—never gripe or sicken.—Adv.

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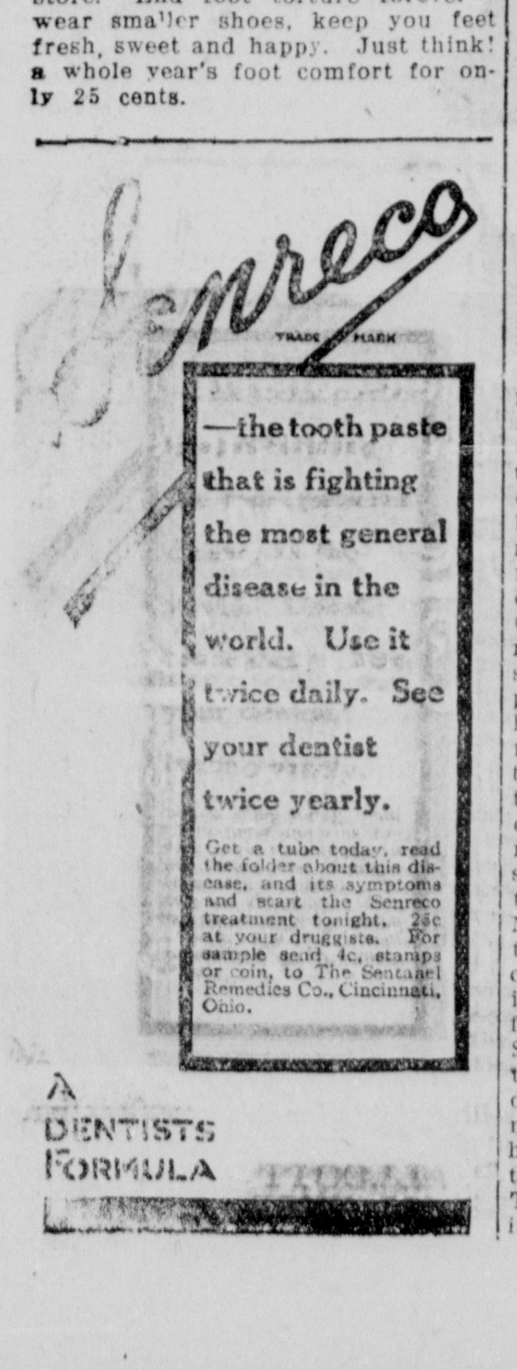

AN ARGUMENT FOR PREPAREDNESS

Editor Jacksonville Journal:

Preparedness should be our watchword, for universal peace guaranteed by the disarmament of nations is absolutely beyond reason; it is at variance with nature's laws. War and the possibility of war is a natural result of the application of nature's inexorable law, "the law of natural selection or survival of the fittest", which is the secret of the development of members of the animal kingdom and more the less true in the races of mankind, the highest developed of the animal kingdom. The sacred principle of nature's law is that might makes right. I realize that this rasps our finer sensibilities and possibly shocks us but it is none the less true, with all our vaunted intellectual development, our civilization and enlightenment—will you believe it? It is seemingly only a step back to semi-barbarism and the application of this truth, "might makes right", Might in the hands of a Vandal we say, challenges our statement, but no; we must consider from the standpoint of the Vandel, we couldn't presume to consider otherwise. Fellow citizens here then is the boiled down, the condensed fact: If we as a nation think that our international actions and asperations, our treatment of other peoples is just reasonable and ever right (as I believe we intend) it behooves us to get into a position or a condition that we can guarantee, to ourselves and other peoples vitally concerned, that might will not suddenly fall into the hands of an unjust people. We pride ourselves in the fact that we as a nation are protecting the interests of our weaker neighbors and by means of the "Monroe Doctrine" we are tactically guaranteeing the national existence or our weaker neighbors, and yet we are not in a position to compel the respect of this principle; simply because nations have chosen to respect our assumed rights is no guarantee they will always do so. We as a nation, being numerically, financially and as many believe, divinely in a position to lead other peoples to follow the course of justice in their relations one with another, in neglecting to develop our physical resources by failing to train our citizens in the art of war, in not providing the necessary equipment, are surely courting national disaster not only for ourselves, but for those peoples whose development we have aided and encouraged.

We see all the great nations of Europe in the midst of a terrible struggle, exerting all their strength and resources in a supreme effort to destroy each other, the cause of which is commercial rivalry or business expansion, from our standpoint, and it is conceded by the world in general, this commercial enterprise is a legitimate right with which all peoples are endowed—on the supposition our business men are, in the name of the United States, developing this very resource. Are we then, to blindly trust our commerce to the moderation and fair-mindedness of the very powers with whose subjects we are commercially competing, who are now struggling to destroy this competition? We see how just to our citizens the applications of such a trust are at present and has proven in the past.

Will it meet the dictates of reason for us to depend absolutely upon diplomacy, supported and promulgated by paper and ink, to protect us in our enterprise, our trade with other peoples and our right to carry it? Will it serve to protect our cities, our industries, our nationality?

Is it meant that a great city shall not make adequate preparation to protect itself from destruction by fire until the fire is upon them? Should the cities of New Orleans or Havana, Cuba neglect to organize a health and sanitary department, until the scourge of yellow fever or cholera lays the hand of death upon them?

We need but turn back in our history to the period of Napoleonic wars, from 1800 to its resultant war of 1812. We gave their ideas of the Pacifists,—chief of whom was Jefferson—a fair trial, did it protect? We saw our national honor trampled in the dust, our nation treated with unwonted contempt, our industries and commerce ruined, our citizens impressed in a foreign service even killed; until in desperation we resorted to self-defense, having nothing with which to fight a fight that would have undoubtedly ended in our defeat and national extinction, if our antagonist had not been occupied in a titanic struggle in Europe at the same time; which required all her resources.

Is history to repeat itself with a far more direful result for us? We see the same powers—not as antagonists, but allies, treating our maritime rights with an ever more apparent contempt, with a fearlessness born of a knowledge of our helplessness and, in case we are driven to a resort to self-defense, the assurance of the aid of an aggressive ally in the Orient. An enemy whom we should mortally fear—so long as we depend solely on the efficacy of diplomacy to protect us. No doubt we immediately call to mind the testimony of Admiral Blue before the Senate committee, and a feeling of safety will steal tru our veins. Why should this deception be desorted to? The admiral testified that our navy was strong enough to handle anything that might develop in the Pacific. Now I ask: How can it when it is in the Atlantic with the Panama canal closed with no immediate prospect of it being cleared and a distance of fourteen thousand miles around South America; what can happen in the interval of time that would elapse during transferal? But when we need the navy in the Pacific we will have a vital need for it in the Atlantic so the Pacific will be unprotected. The only solution is an adequate navy in each ocean. It is a national danger to us if we restrict the naval strength depending upon the canal route for shifting of vessels of war, for as long as the lock system is used in preference to a sea level canal it can very easily be closed to traffic by well placed bombs in the locks or disastrous land slides from the same cause.

We heartily approve of many of the motives of the Pacificts, many of these motives should at all times be in the minds of those who are at the helm of our nation, but we must insist that adequate military preparation for defense be closely associated with it.

Why are we looking upon necessary military preparedness as tho it were some terrible dragon of old? Is it because it takes money? Better far spend millions now than billions later and most horrible of all is the fact, that our fabulous wealth will not correct the error of neglecting to train our citizens in the art of war if neglected until calamity is upon us; an error that would fruitlessly cost the life blood of thousands, yes, hundreds of thousands of our most virile citizenship.

Or is it because we have not sufficient confidence in our executive and legislators, and thus ourselves fearing to place within their hands the means of protection, fearing the improper use of it? If irresponsible individuals gain the mastery, the voters of the nation endowed them with that power. As well send the patrolman on his lonely beat in the most dangerous section of Chicago, unarmed, but requesting him to uphold the majesty of the law; fearing if armed, he might shoot some peaceful citizen or break his head with his night stick simply to satisfy himself that the weapon come up to specifications or to satisfy an inate craving for the sight of human blood.

When the time arrives that we do not need our executive department in the governmental system, have no need for courts of law and our system for enforcement of law, then, and then only will the great armies and navies of the world be discarded. Do we believe that world epoch is nearing the horizon or even in the remotest future? I fear not.

Walter G. Duckwall,
Route No. 2.

THE PAEAN OF UNPREPAREDNESS

If a burglar comes to rob you,
Ask him in;
To resist a fellow creature is a sin;
So let him have your cash—
After all it's only trash;
Nonresistance is the only way to win.

If a ruffian assaults you,
Don't complain;
Mankind were meant to give and suffer pain;
Abolish the police
And assaults at once will cease.
Preparedness is neither safe nor sane.

If a brute insults your sister.
Why object?
You never should get angry; just reflec
If you cringe and run away
The truly good will say,
Behold another one of the elect!
If foreign tyrants threaten,
Smile and coo;
They may be harsh to others, not to you;
Repudiate your heroes,
And the Attilas and Neros
Will be reasonable and gentle, good and true.

Should they kill your wives and children
On the seas,
Remember you must always strive to please;
So ask them most politely
If they think they acted rightly;
It will be diplomatic if you tease.
If they hesitate and dally,
Send them notes;
The country on such correspondence dotes;
We are much too proud to fight,
And since we know we're right,
What matter if they keep on sinking boats?

Say nothing with the very
Slightest dash
Of anything beligerent or rash;
We are taken for a nation
Which seeks for reparation
On easy terms reducible to cash.

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There's perhaps a trifling remnant
With us yet
Who are feeling burning anger
and regret,
Who remember Andrew Jackson,
And prefer bulldog to dachshund,
But they seem to be a scattered,
helpless set.

—Pro-American, in the New York Sun.

MORGAN COUNTY BAR BANQUET.

The members of the Morgan County bar will hold their annual banquet at Colonial Inn Thursday evening Clinton Conkling of Springfield will be the speaker of the evening

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE.

Estate of Mary D. Kershaw, deceased.

The undersigned, having been appointed executor of the last will and testament of Mary D. Kershaw, late of the county of Morgan and state of Illinois, deceased, hereby gives notice that he will appear before the county court of Morgan county, at the court house in Jacksonville, at the April term, on the first Monday in April next, at which time all persons having claims against said estate are notified and requested to attend for the purpose of having same adjusted.

All parties indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment to the undersigned.

Dated this 31st day of January, 1916.

B. F. Ragsdale, Executor.

A CALIFORNIA LETTER.

(Charles H. Story.)

Los Angeles, Cal., Feb. 11, '16.
Jacksonville Journal
Jacksonville, Ill.

Gentlemen: A letter from my friend, H. H. Bancroft today states that January brought every known variety of weather, and as bad roads as are commonly seen in Illinois.

From the home paper and other sources, I get the same account, and it leads me to write you something of conditions here, by way of comparison, in part, and contrast in other features.

California needs no further advertising along any of her various lines of climate, soil, industries, or public or private enterprises, so far as I am able to judge.

We all admit that California is some advertiser, and with this admission goes another to the effect that their advertising has certainly brought results.

I would not have you think that California can not deliver the goods—she has a vast wealth of natural resources—real resources that pay. Being the second state in size in the union, with such a stretch of latitude, her climate takes in the whole climate of the United States, from every day gardens and flowers to—all the year snowcapped mountains.

The good agricultural lands are confined to the short river valleys and a narrow coast plain, and comprise a very small per cent of the area of the state; however, much of the land formerly worthless, is being reclaimed by irrigation.

In Southern California, where we have spent the winter in and about Los Angeles, Pasadena, Alhambra, Whittier, Santa Ana and Long Beach we find the agricultural lands near the cities used mostly for truck gardening, and farther out it is divided by very peculiar climatic conditions in citrus fruit, English walnut, and diversified farming belts.

We find here, as at home, a wide difference of opinion of real values. Some men insist that oranges pay best; others claim lemons, while others walnuts, or pink beans, etc.

Again we hear men claiming boldly that very few of these industries are paying anything like a good revenue.

One thing is certain, the winter months bring no zero temperatures, and no "northwesters," and to one accustomed to Illinois temperatures, it seems pleasant indeed.

The one thing noticeable, is what one observes here, that he has never read in any California literature.

The sun doesn't shine every day, it rains sometimes as perhaps you have noted from newspaper reports.

Everybody are not millionaires here, neither do we find real money coming in exchange for nothing. Competition is keen along all lines, giving almost any line of business the appearance of being overdone. This has a tendency of course, to cheapen many commodities, helping some at the expense of the others.

With all the native wealth of the state it is clear that almost every line of business took to the north and east for tourists with the ready cash—they depend very much upon it Los Angeles claims an average arrival of 3000 tourists daily, and from all appearances, it is easily believeable.

From this ever coming throng comes the additional demand upon the food producer, the clothier, the transportation people, etc., etc.

One prominent feature here is the great mileage of hard roads—a high class road for heavy as well as light traffic.

We observe, too, that such roads are absolutely essential to the welfare of the city and country interests.

The naval orange are just now at their best, and are being picked by the train load every day.

They are perishable, and must get to the market, now. This is the rainy season, and the dirt roads are much like our roads at home, very muddy.

Over these hard roads we see every day tremendous auto trucks carrying four to six tons of merchandise, with some times as many as four trailers, each heavily loaded with oranges, lemons, milk-cans, crates of cabbage and head lettuce, and all the various products of the farm.

On their return they carry such things as they must have from the city. We, at home, must learn the real need of good roads, and their real value to city and country alike.

I hope the last man is dead who was so narrow minded and short sighted as to think and say "that the only person who could be benefitted by a hard surface road was the auto-driver.

Another very prominent feature that arrests the attention here, is the presence of such vast numbers of foreigners, chiefly Japanese, Cinese, and Mexicans. They must be taken into account, for you must share everything with them, even your ballot, and if you say "no saloons," he says "I kill your vo..."

Personally both myself and my wife like the country very much, in a general way, and have spent a delightful winter here. We have not encourtered the floods in our travels but have gone thru since, and seen the disastrous results of the high water

We were not been hindered by snow-slides, but saw where several had taken place. We have enjoyed the various church services, observing many new methods and practices. Have been thru several schools and find them of a very high type.

Now that spring time is approaching we begin to think of the green lawns of native blue grass in our home town, and the spreading prairies of our home state, and soon we will find ourselves hurrying to arrive among old familiar haunts, to greet old familiar friends, and really live with and for those whose lives have become closely linked with ours, in the home, in the social and business circles.

We look forward with great pleasure, to the day when the porter on the C. & A., "The Only Way" will say "Jacksonville, Jacksonville."

Very respectfully yours,
Charles H. Story.

BENEFITS OF COLLEGE.

"If I could instill into the mind of each young man and each young woman present the determination to secure a college education, come what will, I would feel that I had accomplished in a single night the work of a lifetime," said Dr. H. O. Pritchard, president of Eureka college Sunday evening in an address at Central Christian church. Dr. Pritchard had much to say of the benefits of the small college and especially of the christian college. The small college is more economical, better fitted as a place wherein the student may "find himself" and a better place for real cultural training, said the speaker.

RATIFY SALE OF CLUB.

Lincoln, Neb., Feb. 14.—The first step to prepare for the 1916 baseball season was taken today by officials of the Western league in their annual schedule meeting by ratifying the recent sale of the Lincoln club and franchise to a local stock company. It was the first league meeting since the election of Frank Zehrung as president, who succeeds Norris L. O'Neill of Chicago.

DISCUSS TRADE.

Chicago, Feb. 14.—A deal by which the Pittsburgh Nationals expected to get either Catcher Archer or Catcher Wilson from the Chicago Nationals was discussed by President Weeghman and Manager Callahan today, but no agreement was reached between them. It is possible negotiations will be resumed later.

ALLOW MERGER OF LEAGUES.

Auburn, N. Y., Feb. 14.—The merger of the New England league and Eastern association baseball clubs into a ten club circuit, which has been under consideration for some time by a committee appointed by the National Association of Professional Baseball leagues, is allowed in a decision made public today by Secretary J. H. Farrell of the National association.

BECKER IS RELEASED.

Philadelphia, Feb. 14.—President Baker of the Philadelphia Nationals, today announced that Beals Becker, utility outfielder, had been given his unconditional release.

Mrs. S. A. Knight of Charleston is in the city for a visit with her sister, Mrs. J. A. Crum, who is ill at her home, 234 West North street.

Some Topics of the Farm

ADAM COUNTY FARMERS.

At the regular monthly meeting of the executive committee of the Adams County Farm Improvement association many matters of importance were discussed. The committee sanctioned "Farmer" Rusk's plan for asking aid of the State Horticultural department in establishing an experimental orchard for the purpose of obtaining general information regarding matters of caring and handling orchards and orchard products; also for asking aid of the state entomologist in establishing a demonstration orchard for the purpose of demonstration of the use of various spray materials for controlling San Jose scale. The establishing of a coddling moth station for the purpose of obtaining exact data as to the life of the coddling moth and further ask that the state entomologist furnish a practical man thruout the spraying season, who shall give direct assistance to all farmers and fruit growers thruout the county who are interested in spraying their orchards properly. There is no more important fruit section in the state that we have in Adams county and it is hoped that the horticultural department and state entomologist officers will look upon this project with favor.

President H. F. Chittenden of Mendon and Secretary L. G. Hoke of Camp Point were elected as delegates to a meeting to be held at Ottawa, Illinois, for the purpose of making permanent the organization of the Illinois Agricultural organization. The temporary organization of this association was formed during the meeting of the farm advisers recently at Urbana. It is planned to have all the counties that have Farm Improvement associations represented in this organization.

The question of co-operative purchasing of rock phosphate tankage and other materials was discussed. A considerable business of this sort has been done thru the association for members only at a considerable saving to the members. It is regarded as one of the important functions of the association.

Mr. Rusk is planning to hold office days in a number of meetings over the county for the next month and much of his time will be spent out of the office, so there is no need for haste in securing an assistant.

Farmer Rusk.

Sulphur for Hogs.

Hogs like a litle sulphur, and it is good for them—in fact, they are unthrifty without it. The best ways of giving it to them, also the worse ways, have just been determined by the Iowa experiment station.

Mixing copperas (sulphate of iron) in the feed seemed to be a bad practice. It induced scouring. When pigs had free access to sulphur in different forms they liked flowers of sulphur best of all. Glauber salt (sulphate of soda) was their second choice.

One eighty pound hog will eat of his own accord about a quarter pound of sulphur a month, and there is no danger of his eating more of it than is good for him. Let them eat what they want, but don't, except under drection of a veterinarian, put it in their food or drink. Even then don't do it unless you know him to be an exceptionally good veterinarian.

Cows Make Good Record.

Twelve Holstein cows owned by Charles A. Smedley of Kensington, Kan., averaged 250 pounds of butter fat a cow last year and made him a net profit of $70 a cow. The price of the cow is not as important as the yield. These cows were a better buy at $300 each than they would have been at $25 if they would yield only 120 pounds of butter fat a year.

Sowing Rape with Rye.

If next spring your stand of rye is a little thin, sow four or five pounds of rape seed per acre early and afterward give one or two strokes with the harrow. There need be but little fear of dragging out the rye, as the crop is deeply rooted and the harrow will have but little injurious effect. Of course if the rye is pastured close the young rape plants will be nipped off when they are very tender, and this may interfere with a rank summer or fall growth; but, on the other hand, if the rye is not pastured too closely the rape in all likelihood will make a fairly strong stand.

Farmers' Club Meeting Wednesday Afternoon

The Morgan County Farmers' club will meet next Wednesday afternoon at 1:30 at the court house. Farm Tenantry will be the subject discussed. The views of landlords and tenants as to the ideal farm lease will be presented.

A. M. Masters, A. L. French, W. H. Moseley, R. R. Coultas, John Ryman, Joe Smith, Montie Funk and others are expected to enter into the discussion of this subject, which is of interest to every one who rents farm lands.

Horses Prove Profitable.

I. Whitlock of Murrayville precinct sold a team of mares to Gilmore Bros. for $400. They weighed 3960 lbs. He sold two other horses from the mother of these mares, one for $192.50, the other one for $285, making a total of $877.50 for the four horses. Mr. Whitlock believes this kind of horses pay as well as catle, taking cost of feed into consideration.

TO FIGHT ATTEMPT TO TAKE ROCK ISLAND FROM THREE EYE

ROCK ISLAND, Ill., Feb. 14.—After a conference today of club owners of the Three Eye baseball league, President A. R. Tearney of Chicago tonight said that he would fight to a finish the attempt to take Rock Island from Three Eye territory and give it to the Central association as had been ruled by the national board of aribtration as announced from Auburn, N. Y., some time ago. The case has been appealed to the national commission and will be carried into the courts it is said, if this body should not reverse the ruling of the board of arbitration.

"After a trip thru the business quarter of Rock Island today," said President Tearney, "I am sure that sentiment in favor of keeping this city in the Three Eye fold is almost unanimous. A statement was filed with J. H. Farrell, secretary of the national association, that fourteen of the best men in Rock Island were ready to back a Central association, but if the names of these fourteen men be made public and seven persons mentioned admit they will finance such a club I will give $100 to charity.

"We expect the national commission to reverse the ruling of the board of arbitration at the meeting in New York this week, but if this should not be done we shall consider ways and means of preventing class legislation against the Three Eye league. This is a fight of the baseball supporters of Rock Island for the class of baseball they want, in competition with their neighboring cities of Davenport and Moline and the desires of the persons who support the game by their gate money cannot be disregarded."

WILL ATTEND RALLY.

Clarence L. DePew expected to go to Decatur today to attend a rally of the Men and Millions team and be present at a meeting of the executive board of the Illinois Christian Missionary society. Ways and means for financial rehabilitation of the society will be considered.

For the all day conference of Sunday school workers to be held Wednesday, Feb. 23, plans have been well laid and profitable sessions are promised under direction of Rev. William A. Brown, of Chicago, missionary superintendent of the Illinois Sunday school association.

IF YOU ARE A SICK WOMAN

Can you afford to doubt such overwhelming evidence as that of the letters constantly being published in the daily press, showing how Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, that good old-fashioned remedy made from roots and herbs, restores suffering women to health and strength? Thousands of women suffered just as you are suffering and in letters over their own signatures state they have been made well by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. Why don't you try it?—Advt

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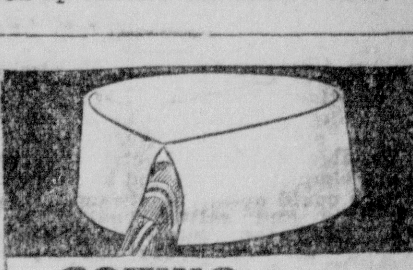
Cheap substitutes cost YOU same price



When Itching Stops

There is one safe, dependable treatment that relieves itching torture instantly and that cleanses and soothes the skin.

Ask any druggist for a 25c bottle of zemo and apply it as directed. Soon you will find that pimples, black heads, eczema, ringworm and similar skin troubles will disappear.

A little zemo, the penetrating, satisfying liquid, is all that is needed, for it banishes all skin eruptions and makes the skin soft, smooth and healthy.

Zemo, Cleveland.

FEEL YOUNG!

It's Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets For You!

Beware of the habit of constipation. It develops from just a few constipated days, unless you take yourself in hand.

Coax the jaded bowel muscles back to normal action with Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets, the substitute for calomel. Don't force them to unnatural action with severe medicines or by merely flushing out the intestines with nasty, sickening cathartics.

Dr. Edwards believes in gentleness, persistency and Nature's assistance.

Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets open the bowels; their action is gentle, yet positive. There is never any pain or griping when Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets are used. Just the kind of treatment old persons should have.

Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets are a vegetable compound mixed with olive oil, you will know them by their olive color. Take one or two occasionally and have no trouble with your liver, bowels or stomach. 10c and 25c per box. All druggists.

The Olive Tablet Company, Columbus, O.

BAD COLD? HEADACHY AND NOSE STUFFED

"Pape's Cold Compound" Ends Colds and Grippe in a Few Hours.

Take "Pape's Cold Compound" every two hours until you have taken three doses then all grippe misery goes and your cold will be broken. It promptly opens your clogged-up nostrils and the air passages of the head; stops nasty discharge or nose running; relieves the headache, dullness, feverishness, sore throat, sneezing, soreness and stiffness.

Don't stay stuffed up! Quit blowing and snuffling. Ease your throbbing head—nothing else in the world gives such prompt relief as "Pape's Cold Compound," which costs only 25 cents at any drug store. It acts without assistance, tastes nice, and causes no inconvenience. Accept no substitute.—Advertisement.

True Secret of Keeping Youthful Looking

(The Beauty Seeker.)

"The real secret of keeping young-looking and beautiful," says a well-known hygienist, "is to keep the liver and bowels normally active. Without these requisites, poisonous waste products remain in the system, polluting the blood and lodging in various organs, tissues, joints. One becomes flabby, obese, nervous, mentally sluggish, dull-eyed, wrinkled and sallow of face.

"But to get liver and bowels working as they ought, without producing evil after-effects has been the problem. Fortunately, there is a prescription of unquestioned merit, which may now be had in convenient tablet form. Its value is due largely to an ingredient derived from the humble May apple, or its root, which has been called 'vegetable calomel' because of its effectiveness—though, of course, it is not to be classed with the real calomel of mercurial origin. There is no habit-forming constituent in 'sentanel' tablets—that's the name—and their use is not followed by weakness or exhaustion. On the contrary, these harmless vegetable tablets tend to impart tone and elasticity to the relaxed intestinal wall. Sentanel tablets, which may be procured from any druggist—a dime's worth will do—will prove a revelation to any constipated, liver-troubled person."

The Constipation Curse

Constipation - clogged bowels cause pain and sickness; 95 per cent of our ills, say the authorities. Sentanel Laxatives bring quick relief. All vegetable — contain no calomel. Ten doses for a dime at any druggists. Physician's sample free, upon request, if you mention this advertisement. The Sentanel Remedies Co., Inc., 800 Madison Ave., Covington, Ky.

GREAT OLD REMEDY FOR SKIN DISEASES

S. S. S. Drives Poison From the System.

Get it fixed in your mind that skin eruptions, Scrofula, Eczema, burning itching skin, and all skin diseases are due entirely to impure blood. If the trouble was on the outside of the skin, by simply washing and keeping it clean you could obtain relief—not even ointments and salves would be necessary. Agree with us in this belief, and you can be restored to health. S. S. S. is a purely vegetable treatment that you can secure from your own druggist—it is a blood tonic that will purify your blood and cause a decided abatement of your trouble, and finally make you well. Fifty years ago S. S. S. was discovered and given to suffering mankind. During this period it has proven its remarkable curative properties as a blood purifier and tonic. Has relieved thousands of cases of disease caused by impure blood, and chronic or inherited blood diseases. You can be relieved, but you must take S. S. S. Therefore be sure. Don't take chances, don't use lotions. Get S. S. S. from your druggist. If yours is a special case, write for expert medical advice to Swift Specific Co., Atlanta, Ga.

PEORIA WOMAN TELLS EXPERIENCE

Mrs. W. L. McClellan, of Peoria, suffered torture from indigestion, gas, belching and other symptoms of stomach trouble. She spent large sums of money for doctors' advice and medicine. Still her condition did not improve. She found relief, wonderful, surprising relief in a drug store window. This is her story, as she tells it:

"I suffered so from distention and colickly pains that at times I was completely incapacitated for my household work. I saw a window display of Mayr's Wonderful Remedy and decided to purchase a bottle, which I did. I have taken only one bottle and the results have been really wonderful. I have not had a pain in my stomach since, and let me say that for the first time in many, many months, two days following I have had a natural movement of the bowels. I feel I cannot say enough for the remarkable virtues of your remedy."

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For sale by Armstrong's Drug Store and all other reliable druggists.

"Well, I Should Say 'Gets-It' DOES Work"

"Look a' There, If You Don't Think It's Just Wonderful for Corns!"

"Bless my stars, look at it! Land of the livin'! Why, just look at it! That corn came right off.—just like peeling bananas. Put your finger on my

"Did You Ever See the Like? No Wonder 'Gets-It' is the Biggest Selling Corn Cure in the World!"

toe, right there,—don't be afraid,—that's it,—feel how smooth the skin is? Well, that's where the corn was. Well, that beats all!" That's the way "Gets-It" works on all corns, every corn, every time. It's the new, simple way of curing corns. You'll say good-bye to all foolish contraptions like bundling bandages, sticky tape, plasters, toe-eating salves, and grave-diggers such as knives, razors and scissors. "Gets-It" stops pain. Applied in 2 seconds. Never fails. Nothing to stick to, hurt or press on the corn.

"Gets-It" is sold everywhere, 25c a bottle, or sent direct by E. Lawrence & Co., Chicago, Ill.

Sold in Jacksonville and recommended as the world's best corn remedy—by Armstrong's Drug Store—J. A. Obermeyer.

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A remarkable remedy for croup,—Croupine. It is the new-plan remedy. It is composed of absolutely non-poisonous remedies and contains positively no morphine, chloral, co-

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Croupine gives splendid relief also for coughs, colds, hoarseness, grippe and bronchitis. Sold by all druggists in 25c and 50c bottles, or sent direct by J. D. Knott & Co., Monticello, Ill.

For sale in Jacksonville by Lee P. Allcott and other leading druggists.

AN ORDINANCE.

Appropriating money for the use of City of Jacksonville, Illinois, for the fiscal year beginning January 1st, A. D., 1916, and ending January 1, 1917.

Be is ordained by the council of the City of Jacksonville, Illinois:

Section 1—

That the following sums of money be, and the same are hereby appropriated and set apart from and out of the revenues of the said City for the expenses and liabalities of the corporation of the City of Jacksonville, in the County of Morgan and State of Illinois, for and during the fiscal year of the said City, beginning at 12 o'clock noon, January 1st, A. D. 1916, and ending January 1st, A. D., 1917, for the uses and purposes hereinafter designated to-wit:

Diamond Grove Cemetery Fund $500

For the purpose of maintaining Diamond Grove Cemetery, and paying expenses and repairs and improvements appertaining to said cemetery, the sum of five hundred dollars; is hereby appropriated.

Jacksonville Cemetery Fund $1500.

For the purpose of maintaining Jacksonville Cemetery and paying all expenses, repairs and improvements appertaining to said cemetery, the sum of fifteen hundred dollars is hereby appropriated.

Public Health Fund $200.

For the purpose of assisting in the care of tubercular residents of the City and to aid in the purchase of medicine and other remedies the sum of two hundred dollars is hereby appropriated.

City Hall Fund $2000.

For the purpose of heating and cleaning the City Hall, including all of Council Chamber, City Clerk's Office, Mayor's Office, Water Dep't. Office, Public Engineer, Police Department, Fire Department, and all other offices of the several departments of the city, and furnishing the same with supplies appurtenances, appliances, including books and stationery, the sum of two thousand dollars is hereby appropriated.

Civil Engineering Fund$ 4000.

For the purpose of paying the salary and expenses of the public engineer and any additional expenses which may occur in the matter of special improvements the sum of four thousand dollars is hereby appropriated.

Streets and Public Improvement Fund $10,000.

For the purpose of maintaining and keeping in repair all the streets, highways, sidewalks, crossing and sewers of the city, the sum of ten thousand dollars is hereby appropriated.

Streets and Public Improvements, Horse and Vehicle Fund, $1000

For the purpose of purchasing horses or vehicles for the use of the Streets and Public Improvement Department, the sum of one thousand dollars is hereby appropriated.

Sewer Fund $2000.

For the purpose of paying for repairing sewers and flushing the same the sum of two thousand dollars is hereby appropriated.

Fire Department Fund $20,000

For the purpose of maintaining fire engines and paying all expenses of the Fire Department, including the salary of fire chief, and all firemen in said department the sum of twenty thousand dollars is hereby appropriated

Fire Department Improvement Fund, $10,000.

For the purpose of purchasing apparatus looking towards the permanent improvement of the Fire Department the sum of ten thousand dollars is hereby appropriated.

Municipal Horse Fund $2000.

For the purpose of purchasing feed for horses and taking care of same the sum of two thousand dollars, is hereby appropriated.

Fire Alarm Fund $1500

For the purpose of paying all expenses appertaining to Fire and Police Alarm System of the City of Jacksonville, the sum of fifteen hundred dollars is hereby appropriated.

Fire Horse Exchange Fund $1000.

For the purpose of purchasing any horses needed in the Fire Department the sum of one thousand dollars is hereby appropriated.

Water Supply Fund, $20,000.

For the purpose of defraying all expenses appertaining to the Water Department, including the salary of the Water Superintendent and Engineers of the department, the sum of twenty thousand is hereby appropriated.

Water Works Improvement Fund, $45,000

For the purpose of paying for permanent improvement and extension of the Water Dep't. the sum of forty-five thousand dollars is hereby appropriated.

City Building Repair Fund $1,500

For the purpose of paying repairs on the City Building the sum of fifteen hundred dollars is hereby appropriated.

Light Maintenance Fund $25,000

For the purpose of paying all expenses appertaining, to operating the Electric Light Plant, for the purpose of furnishing light and power for pumping water to the City of Jacksonville, including salaries of all employes of the light plant, the sum of twenty-five thousand dollars is hereby appropriated.

Public Property Fund, $35,000

For the purpose of paying all expenses incurred in rebuilding the street lighting system and power equipment of the Municipal Lighting Plant and Pumping Station of the City of Jacksonville, the sum of thirty-five thousand dollars is hereby appropriated.

Police Department Fund, $10,000

For the purpose of maintaining and repairing the city prison and police headquarters and paying all expenses of the Police Dep't. including the salary of the Chief, City Matron, and all policemen, except the compensation of special policemen the sum of ten thousand dollars is hereby appropriated.

Printing Fund, $1500.

For the purpose of paying for all printing for the City of Jacksonville the sum of fifteen hundred dollars is hereby appropriated.

Law Department Fund $4000

For the purpose of paying the bills, court costs and other expenses of the Law Department including the salary of the City Attorney, the sum of four thousand dollars is hereby appropriated.

Salary Fund $12,000

For the purpose of paying salaries of all the city officers and other city employes not otherwise provided for the sum of twelve thousand dollars is hereby appropriated.

Sanitary Fund, $2000.

For the purpose of paying expenses of the Sanitary or Health Department including the salary of Health Warden, the sum of two thousand dollars is hereby appropriated.

Contingent Fund, $3000.

For the purpose of paying the claims against the city incident to the expense of the Audit of the city's books and for unexpected contingencies which cannot otherwise be provided for the sum of three thousand dollars is hereby appropriated.

Election Fund, $5000

For the purpose of paying all expenses of any General or Special Municipal Election in the year of 1916 the sum of five thousand dollars, is hereby appropriated.

Interest Fund $6000.

For the purpose of paying interest on money advanced for the purpose of paying indebtedness and borrowed by the authority of the City Council the sum of six thousand dollars is hereby appropriated.

Special Assessment Fund, $1000

For the purpose of paying the city assessments on Special Improvements already finished and for which heretofore appropriations have been made, and for Tax Sale Certificates the sum of one thousand dollars is hereby appropriated.

Back Indebtedness Fund $40,000

For the purpose of paying all claims against the City that were unpaid at the last fiscal year and which have been properly approved claims against the said city the sum of forty thousand dollars is hereby appropriated.

Special Assessment Deficit Fund $25,000.

For the purpose of paying a portion of the deficit in the Special Assessment Account as shown by the audit of Special Assessment Record of the City, the sum of twenty-five thousand dollars is hereby appropriated.

Mathers Street Opening Fund $1000

For the purpose of paying the city's part in the opening of Mathers street the sum of one thousand dollars is hereby appropriated.

West College Street Paving Fund $3,500.

For the purpose of paying the city's part in the paving of West College street the sum of thirty-five hundred dollars is hereby appropriated.

Central Heating Plant Fund $30,000

For the purpose of building, maintaining and equipping a Central Heating and Street Mains for Commercial Purposes the sum of thirty thousand dollars is hereby appropriated.

Section 2—

Sinking Fund $6,000.

For the purpose of providing the payment of money levied by taxation to redeem outstanding city bonds of the issue of 1899 the sum of six thousand dollars is hereby appropriated.

Public Library Fund, $9,000

For the purpose of maintaining the Public Library and for Reading Rooms, all sums now in the hands of the City Treasurer collected for that purpose; all sums to be collected from all former library tax levied, and in addition the sum of nine thousand ($9000) dollars more or less, or such sums as may be collected for Library purposes by a two (2) tax as provided by the statute is hereby appropriated.

Municipal Garbage System Fund $9,000.

For the purpose of maintaining a Municipal Garbage Disposal System the sum of nine thousand ($9,000) dollars, more or less or such sums as may be collected by a two (2) mill tax as provided by the statute are hereby appropriated.

Diamond Grove Cemetery Special Fund, $3000.

For the purpose of maintaining and paying all expenses appertaining to Diamond Grove Cemetery, including the salary of the sexton and assistants the sum of three thousand dollars ($3,000) or such sums more or less as may be received from the sale of lots, burial permits, work orders, or from other sources is hereby appropriated.

Jacksonville Cemetery Special Fund $2,000.

For the purpose of maintaining and paying all expenses appertaining to Jacksonville Cemetery; including the salary of the sexton and assistants the sum of two thousand dollars ($2,000) or such sums more or less as may be received from the sale of lots, burial permits or work orders or from other sources is hereby appropriated.

Bond Interest Fund $4,200.

For the purpose of paying interest on City Bonds issued July 1, A. D., 1899, the sum of forty-two hundred dollars is hereby appropriated.

Fire Department Special Fund $1000

For the purpose of paying for hose, or other supplies for the Fire Department the sum of one thousand ($1,000) dollars, or such sums more or less as may be collected from the two per cent (2 o|o), tax on premiums paid by Fire Insurance Companies from insurance on property within the limits of the City of Jacksonville, the sum of one thousand $1,000) dollars is hereby appropriated.

Morgan Park System Fund $9000.

For the purpose of maintaining Park System the sum of nine thousand ($9,000) dollars more or less, or such sums as may be collected by a two (2) mill tax as provided by the statute is hereby appropriated.

Anti-Tuberculosis Sanatarium Fund, $5000.

For the purpose of maintaining the Anti-Tuberculosis Sanatarium the sum of five thousand ($5000) dollars, more or less, or such sums as may be collected by a one (1) mill tax as provided by the statute is hereby appropriated.

Section 3—

All revenues from Taxes, Licenses, Fines, Water Department, and all other sources of income (excepting Special Taxation and Special Assessment and all other Special Taxes) shall when received be placed to the credit of the fund known as the General Fund, the City Treasurer shall upon order of the City Council transfer to the General Fund any and all balances remaining to the credit of any particular fund at the close of the fiscal year and according as the City Council may deem best or require.

The City Treasurer shall from time to time and at times during the fiscal year transfer to any particular and designated fund any specified portion of the General Fund, provided always that such transfer shall not increase the credit of any fund to any amount exceeding the amount in this ordinance appropriated for such fund.

Section 4—

All ordinances or parts of ordinances in conflict with the provisions of this ordinance are hereby repealed.

Section 5—

This ordinance shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage and legal publication.

Passed at a regular meeting of the City Council this 14th day of February, A. D., 1916.

Approved this 14th day of February, A. D., 1916.

Henry J. Rodgers,
Mayor.

Attest: R. L. Pyatt, city clerk.

PUBLIC SALE.

Friday, Feb. 18, at 11 a. m., W. R. Ham will sell at his home, four and half miles north of Chapin, a number of good horses, several cows and calves, a good bunch of hogs, a lot of corn, hay and other feed and a large list of farm implements. Lunch will be served by the ladies of Chapin Methodist church.

FOODS

THEY BUILD OR DESTROY

Amazing but Rarely Suspected Truths About the Things You Eat.

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CHAPTER 19.

Indispensable food minerals upon which life depends must be in the food that man eats in order that the body of man may take them from that food.

All food contains some of the building materials needed by the blood. Some foods contain all of them, except where man ignorantly removes them.

If by accident we should consume for a few months food deficient in some of these building materials we should gradually feel the effects upon our general health. It is not difficult to understand that if we are partial to a particular kind of food from which a considerable portion of nature's building materials has been abstracted we are bound to develop disorder.

When the laws under which nature operates are suspended nature does not operate normally. Man might as well expect a jeweller to make a watch without the materials from which the wheels, springs, screws, and bearings are made as to expect nature to make a drop of normal blood without the elements that enter into the composition of that blood.

Nature will set up a warning for us before fatal damage has been done, in order that we may quickly set about the work of repair. But if we do not understand her warning, or do not heed it, we head straight for destruction, unless, in the mean time, some accidental change of diet provides the body with the offsetting elements necessary to the maintenance of its balance.

Food is the most important thing in life because upon it all other things depend. Food is digested and assimilated in obedience to a fixed law. It a man, woman, or child maintains a state of normal health, without knowing anything about that law, good forune, happy accident, and blind chance are the elusive forces which have temporarily or luckily barred the way against destruction.

In the case of the army of the dead, augmented in the United States every year by nearly 400,000 little children under ten years of age, no happy accident has ever interfered.

Surely it is evident that man should make an effort to locate the law upon which so much physical comfort depends, understand it, and apply it as it was evidently intended to be applied.

Each little drop of blood is an expression of that law. Anything that interferes with the purity and character of the blood is hostile to life. Because man leaves everything to chance and as a rule chooses to accept the idea that it is unnecessary to heed his diet, he sends a call into the unknown darkness and demands hundreds of diseases to come forth from nothingness to assist him in mismanaging the world in its sad sum total of misery and pain.

If we remove from our food one element that is necessary to life we introduce the beginning of disorder into the body. If two elements are removed the body may make use of the other fourteen for a time, but soon the unnatural condition under which nature is thus forced to operate will assert itself and confusion must ensue.

If three or four or five substances are removed from the building materials the inevitable collapse will take place a little sooner. If seven or eight elements are removed destruction becomes speedy. When all sixteen substances are removed starvation begins at once.

If we believe that God has elaborated these substances for man's benefit it becomes a little short of sacrilegious to disregard them or to trifle with them, because by so doing man serves notice upon his Maker that he is independent of his Maker's designs.

If, on the contrary man rejects God entirely from his consideration of scheme of the universe, the extraordinary phenomena which spring out of food nutrition, health, and life must sooner or later overpower his spirit and cause him to bend a reverent knee, in the presence of the miracles of life, too vast to be comprehended by the human intellect.

In all events, whether he be a profound believer or a scoffing atheist, he must see that the matter of breakfast, dinner, and supper is not a matter to be left to accident or to an untrained kitchen drudge or to a food factory concerned chiefly in the profit-paying characteristics of its products.

If he is pale or anemic, if his energy seems to be easily exhausted, if he feels little like undertaking the common-place duties of the day, if his children have lustreless eyes, pinched cheeks, undeveloped limbs, or abnormal tendencies, let him look to his food.

If his children are bright, sturdy, and resist illness by not falling victims to disease which it is wrongfully assumed must come to all children, let him congratulate himself upon the lucky accident that has for a time brought to them a supply of the food-building materials necessary to their normal development and health.

In congratulating himself let him understand the facts. An apple falls from the branch of an apple tree to the earth in obedience to a fixed law. If his children are well to-day as a result of the operation of a fixed law, concerning which he knows nothing, it is necessary for him to learn something of that law in order that for his children he may consider tomorrow.

If a child is temporarily well as the result of a happy accident let us keep that child well by understanding the law by which health is continued. The sixteen food minerals are part of that law.

The body derives these elements, let us repeat, from its food and from no other source. It therefore follows that these elements must be in the food that man eats in order that the body of man may take them from the food.

We shall now try to determine what business these substances carry on in the body and why they are necessary and how many of them are artificially removed from our most familiar foods without our knowledge and what happens after they are removed and thus thru our simple study of the facts locate the law that will keep us well.

THE SPIRIT OF '76

It is coming back again,
And it stirs the soul of men
Like a bugle call that echoes thru the night;
For it lives anew as when,
In the forest and the glen,
The farmers rode to Lexington and put the foe to flight.

Who said that it had died
Knoweth not, perhaps he lied.
For liberty shall live again tho buried in a grave;
And the souls of them abide
Who once battled side by side
To break the yoke of England or give freedom to the slave.

It is coming back again
With the might that moved it when
It made a tyrant tremble and ruled a people's fate;
And they who scorn the right,
Forcing freedom to the fight,
Shall find the spirit strong again that made a nation great.

—Edward S. Van Zile in the New York Sun.

PROBATE COURT.

Estate of Charles Lazenby, petition for sale of personal property at public sale heard and allowed.

Estate of Joseph Oswald. Petition for letters of administration heard and allowed. Bond fixed at $9,000 and approved as filed and ordered that letters of administration issue to J. Weir Elliott.

Estate of Gerards A. Ferreira, petition for letters testamentary heard and allowed. Bond waived and ordered that letters testamentary issue to George A. Pitts.

Estate of John W. Smith, report of sale of real estate approved and administrator ordered to make deed of conveyance to purchaser.

Guardianship of William G. Hubbs et al. Administrator's report approved, guardian discharged and guardianship declared closed.

George W. Spink of Havana was in the city Sunday to visit his brother, Eb Spink. He was accompanied by his son, Claude Spink, city treasurer of Havana.

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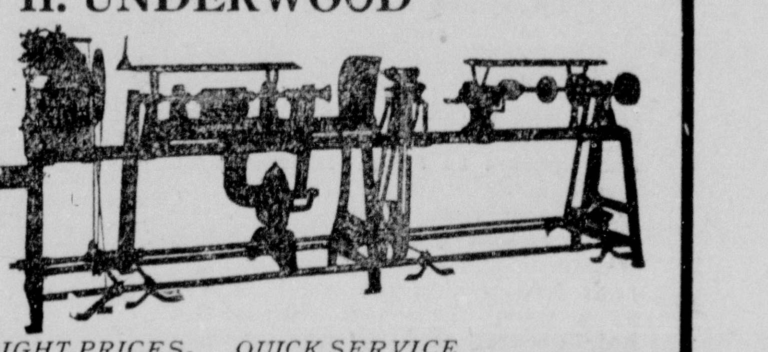

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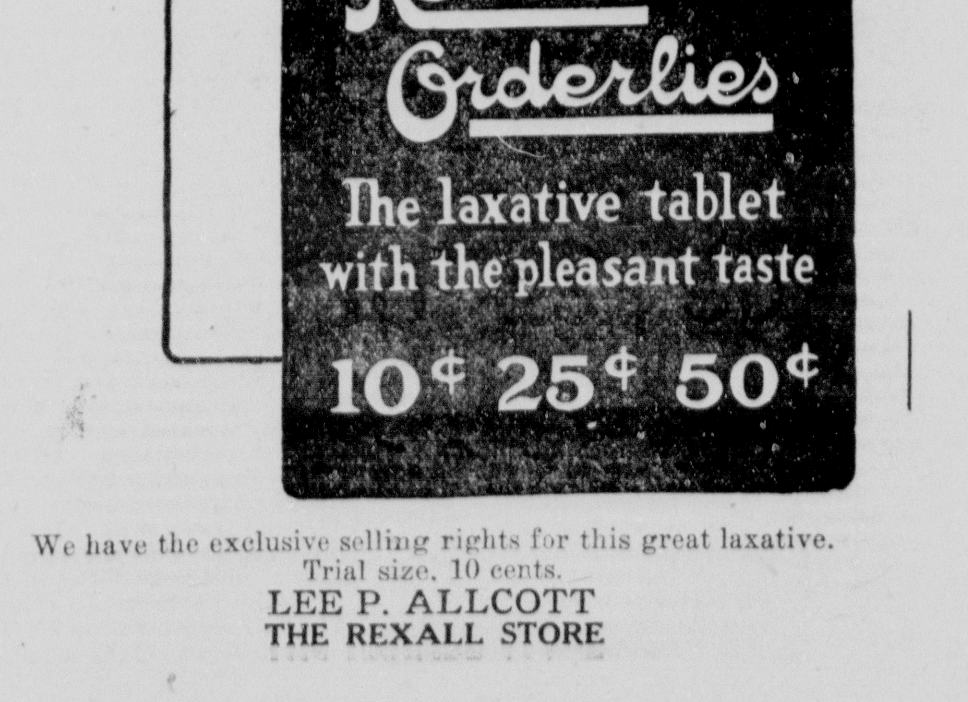

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FOR RENT—Vehicle storage. Cherry's Annex. 2-6-tf

FOR RENT—Eight room house in west end. Illinois phone 077. 2-4-tf

FOR RENT—Houses always. The Johnson Agency. 2-1-tf

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FOR RENT—Five room house, 321 South West street. 1-23-tf

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FOR RENT—Modern furnished front room. Gentleman. 333 South Church. 7-13-tf

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FOR RENT—Seven room modern house; steam heat furnished free. Apply 1011 S. East St. 2-4-tf

FOR RENT—Four room house with gas, cistern and sink in kitchen. 647 South West St. 1-19-tf

FOR RENT—Two farms, one of 200 acres and another 250 acres. Grain rent. Isaac Moxon. Illinois phone 286. 2-15-2t

FOR RENT OR SALE—9 room house, 305 Woodland Place. Apply Layton McGhee, Hopper's Store. 2-8-7t

FOR RENT — Basement; under Price's Jewelry store. Suitable for barber shop or other business. 2-13-6t

FOR RENT—Furnished front room; 413 West College avenue. Bell 827. 2-13-6t

FOR RENT—Four room house; 413 Anna street. Inquire David Tuke, South Jacksonville. 2-13-3t

FOR RENT—Store room. West State street, just vacated by Boxell & Sons Coffee House, and formerly occupied for twenty-five years by Pyatt Cigar factory. Apply L. W. Chambers. 2-15-3t

FOR RENT—Farm three miles from Jacksonville. Money rent end of year. Address with references, "130 acres' care Journal. 2-8-tf

FOR SALE

riding cultivator and disk, cheap. Ill. Phone 1499. 2-10-tf

FOR SALE—Shelving and counters in the Henry building. Enquire of Ward Brothers. 1-19-tf

FOR SALE—House furniture. Mrs. Jennie Swaby, 723 North Prairie. 2-15-1t

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FOR SALE—Five room cottage; furnace and gas; large lot; good barn; fruit. Price low and terms easy. M. C. Hook & Co. 2-6-tf

FOR SALE—Farm, one mile from Jacksonville; a bargain and possession March 1 if taken immediately. Address 125 Acres. 2-6-tf

FOR SALE—Extraordinary bargain in 6 room modern cottage. See our space adv. The Johnston Agency. 2-6-tf

FOR SALE—401 N. Church street. Lot 42x130; ten rooms; bath; cellar; furnace; gas; electricity; rear ten fool alley. W. E. Veitch, 402 Ayers Bank bldg. 2-15-2t

BARRED ROCK EGGS 15 for $1. Illinois phone 418. Cocks score 92 and 91. Len Magill. 2-11-1m

FOR SALE—Yellow Dent Seed corn $2.00 a bushel, J. T. Lightfield, Murrayville, Ill. 212-1mo

FOR SALE—Yellow Dent seed corn on ear. $2 a bushel. May E. Strawn, R. No. 7. 2-13-tf

FOR SALE—Dandy 80 acre, near Sinclair. Price right, terms, ditto. Buckthorpe. 2-12-3t

FOR SALE—Brown leghorn hens; winter layers. Eggs 50c for 15. 322 West Walnut. 2-13-tf

FOR SALE—Select seed corn and strawberry plants; also Texas seed oats (Formaldehyde treated). I guarantee quality. L. N. James. Illinois phone 86. 2-13-1m

FOR SALE—My residence at Woodson, Ill. Good 4 room house; large lot, 100 by 250; fruit; cellar; outbuildings. Cheap if taken soon. H. S. DeLong. 2-13-6t

FOR SALE—Five year old Jack, guaranteed breeder (not King Mammoth, my registered Jack). C. M. Strawn, Alexander, Ill. 2-13-3t

FOR SALE—16 inch riding plow, FOR SALE — Pure bred Rouen Drakes. Howard E. Hodgson, R. No. 1, Ashland, Ill. Bell telephone, Literberry, 34-3. 2-6-8t

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PUBLIC SALE—At Jack Leach's farm, 3 miles west of Jacksonville Tuesday Feb. 22nd. Sale of horses, farm implements, cattle and hogs. J. F. Winner. 2-10-10t

SWEET CLOVER SEED—Unhulled, white blossoms, $5.00 per bu. W. T. Brown 19 Public Square. 2-10-tf

FOR SALE—Double set of work harnes; two sets of single work harness; set single driving harness; new bridle lines; strap halters; good cart; 22 Winchester rifle. 505 Sandusky street. 2-9-tf

PUBLIC SALE—Thursday, Feb. 17, at my residence, 2 1-2 miles southwest of Jacksonville and one-half miles west of car line; four extra good mules; horses, cows, 20 brood sows; silver mine seed oats; two car loads feeding steers and farming implements. Ralph Crabtree. 2-11-5t

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MISCELLANEOUS

MONEY TO LEND ALWAYS—The Johnson Agency. 2-1-tf

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5 PER CENT MONEY to loan on Improved farms, Correspondence invited Matheny, Dixon and Company, Ridgely Bank Building, Springfield, Ill. 1-22-tf

REMEMBER, the sale of horses, cattle, hogs and farm implements, Tuesday, Feb. 15, at residence of E. T. Laurie, five miles north of town. 2-11-4t

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BE SURE TO ATTEND the public sale of livestock and implements on David Winter's place, four miles south of Jacksonville and two miles north of Woodson, Wednesday, February 16th. George M. Barnhart. 2-8-7t

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FOUND—Bunch of keys. Call at 434 Sherman street. S. F. Davis. 2-13-1t

LOST—Bunch of keys. Reward for return to George S. Rogerson or to the Journal office. 2-8-tf

FOUND—Sunday morning, key on South Church street. Owner can have same by calling at Journal and paying for advertisement. 2-15-1t

LOST—Black leather hand bag on East State street car Thursday night, contained two small purses and $4 in money. Call Bell 867 or leave at Journal office. 2-12-1t

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From within a radius of 20 miles If you have anything in this line please 'phone, during the day,
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JACKSONVILLE TIME TABLE.

Chicago & Alton.

North Bound—	
Chicago-Peoria Accom., thru to Chicago	6:20 am
Peoria-Bloomington Acc.	5:00 pm
From St. Louis	11:50 am
Chicago "Red Hummer"	1:52 am
No 30. St Louis train, arrives	8:50 pm
South and West Bound—	
Alton Nightingale to Kansas City	3:28 am
St. Louis Accom., daily	6:05 am
Kansas City-St. Louis local	10:10 am
St. Louis-Mexico Accom.	3:30 pm
Kansas City Express	8:28 pm

Wabash.

East bound—	
No. 72 local frgt ex. Sun.	11:20 am
No 12	9:45 pm
No 52, daily	6:25 pm
No. 28, daily	1:53 am
No. 4, daily	8:30 am
No trains stop at Junction.	
West Bound—	
No. 9, daily	2:00 pm
No. 73, loc. frgt. ex. Sun	2:25 pm
No. 3, daily	7:15 am
No. 15, daily	5:15 pm
No. 53, Hannibal Acom.	10:05 am

C. P. & St. L.

North Bound—	
No. 36, daily	7:49 am
No. 35, returns	11:21 a.m.
No. 38, leaves	3:09 pm
No. 37, arrives	7:26 pm

Burlington Route.

North Bound—	
No. 47, daily, ex-Sunday	11:20 am
No. 11, daily, ex-Sunday	4:30 pm
South Bound—	
No. 12, daily, ex-Sunday	6:55 am
No. 48, daily, ex-Sunday	2:08 pm

HOME MARKET.

Spring Chickens	.15
Chickens, old	.12
Butter	.30
Eggs	.30
Lard	.12 1-2
Bacon	.12 1-2
Turnips	.40
Potatoes	.75
Beets	.40
Cabbage, doz	40
Apples	.60

Commission Men Pay: Poultry Prices.

Spring chickens	.12½
Hens, light	.10
Hens, heavy	.12c
Roosters	.5@6
Stags	.10
Ducks	.9c
Old Geese	.8c
Turkey hens	.14-15
Turkey toms	10-11
Guineas	.20c
Fresh eggs, candled	20c
Beef hides	.14c
Packing stock butter	.15c
Jacksonville Creamery Co. is paying for butter fat this week	—32c

Hay and Grain.

Timothy hay, per bale	.60c
Timothy hay, per ton	$14.00
Clover hay, per bale	.50c
Clover hay, per ton	$14.00
Alfalfa hay, per bale	.55
Alfalfa hay, per ton	.18.00

WORLD'S MARKET NEWS

METAL SHARES COMMAND BULK OF SPECULATIVE ATTENTION

Result Is an Unsettled Close at ½ to ¾ of a Cent Decline—Corn and Oats Show Losses.

Chicago, Feb. 14.—Big stocks of wheat and the seeming dubious chances of an adequate foreign outlet exerted a bearish influence today on values here. The result was an unsettled close at ½@½@¾ decline. Corn finished c down, oats off ¼ to ⅜@½, and provisions varying from 5@7½ loss to a rise of 2½@5c.

Large receipts which piled up during the double holiday had a noticeable tendency to make holders of wheat discouraged and this condition was emphasized later by the fact that the United States' sivible supply showed a weekly decrease of only about one-sixth as much as at the corresponding time last year, whereas the total supply was posted as about 13,000,000 in excess of last year's aggregate.

Absence of fresh export business until late in the session counted a great deal toward bringing about a lower average of wheat prices for the day. After the close, however, sales to Europe were estimated at 1,000,600 bushels exclusive of 2,500,000, which previously had been reported. Heavy arrivals led to a sharp break in the corn market, but a good seaboard demand at Peoria brought about something of a reaction.

Oats declined in sympathy with wheat and corn.

Provisions displayed some transient strength because of a buying movement on the part of several grain houses. Profit-taking by holders subsequently wiped out most of the gains.

BIG STOCKS OF WHEAT EXERT BEARISH INFLUENCE ON VALUES

Gains Range from 1 to 3 Points, But Much of This Advantage Is Forfeited at the End.

New York, Feb. 14.—Metal shares commanded the bulk of speculative attention in today's dull and irregular market with new high records for Anaconda, Utah, Butte and Superior, Shattuck-Arizona and Chino, while American Zinc also touched a new maximum. Gains in this group ranged from 1 to 3 points, but much of this advantage was forfeited at the end. The further rise was attributed to another advance in the price of refined copper, a quotation of 27½ cents being fixed by producers and dealers for June delivery. Boston and New England commission houses were heavy buyers of the copper stocks.

Oils, General Motors and New York Airbrake constituted the other irregularly strong features for a time. Crucible Steel, Baldwin Locomotive and American Car were inclined to sag, also Fertilizers and a score of specialties, whose movements are largely governed by the rise or fall of the munitions division.

Foreign exchange markets were dull with some greater firmness in sterling rates.

Marks and rubles also hardened.

Bonds were irregular thruout.

United States issues and Panamas advanced ½ per cent on call.

Chicago Livestock Market

HOGS.
Receipts 78,000.
Market weak; 10c lower.

Bulk	8.10@8.25
Light	7.75@8.25
Mixed	7.90@8.30
Heavy	7.90@8.30
Pigs	6.25@7.40

CATTLE.
Receipts 14,000.
Market strong.

Native beef steers	6.50@9.65
western steers	6.70@8.15
Cows and heifers	3.15@8.20
Calves	8.50@11.50
Stockers and feeders, nominal	5.50@7.25

SHEEP.
Receipts 18,000.
Market strong.

wethers	7.75@8.35
Ewes	5.50@8.25
Lambs	9.00@11.50

St. Louis Livestock Market

HOGS.
Receipts 22,500.
Market steady.

Pigs and lights	6.50@8.20
Mixed and butchers	8.05@8.40
Good heavy	8.30@8.10

CATTLE.
Receipts 3,000.
Market 15c to 25c higher.

Native beef steers	7.50@9.50
Yearling steers and heifers	8.50@9.35
Cows	5.50@7.00
Stockers and feeders	5.50@7.25

SHEEP.
Receipts 600.
Market steady.

Yearling wethers	8.00@10.00
Lambs	9.00@11.25
Ewes	6.50@7.75

Minneapolis Grain Market

Minneapolis, Feb. 14.—Wheat—Market lower. Corn and oats weakened with wheat. Cash: No. 1 hard 1.33½; No. 1 northern 1.27@1.31; to arrive 1.26½@1.30; No. 2 northern 1.23@1.28; No. 3 wheat 1.18@1.24.

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	Open	High	Low	Close
Wheat—				
May	$1.27⅞	$1.28¼	$1.26⅝	$1.27⅜
July	1.21¼	1.2[illegible]	1.20¼	1.20¾
Corn—				
May	.77⅛	.77⅜	.76½	.77⅛
July	.77¼	.77⅜	.76⅝	.77⅛
Oats—				
May	.48⅝	.48⅝	.47⅞	.48⅛
July	.45⅞	.45⅞	.45⅜	.45⅝
Pork—				
May	20.55	20.72	20.55	20.60
July	20.75	20.80	20.67	20.70
Lard—				
May	10.35	10.42	10.27	10.32
July	10.52	10.62	10.45	10.47
Ribs—				
May	11.40	11.57	11.40	11.47
July	11.65	11.72	11.62	11.62

Friday's close—Wheat: May 1.23; July 1.21¼. Corn: May 77⅜; July 77⅜. Oats: May 48½; July 45⅞.

CHICAGO CASH GRAIN MARKET.

Chicago, Feb. 14.—Wheat—No 2 red 1.28@1.28½; No. 3 red 1.25¼@1.25⅝; No. 4 red 1.21½@1.22¾; No. 2 hard winter 1.27@1.29¼; No. 3 hard winter 1.22¼@1.26; No. 4 hard winter 1.12½@1.21; No. 1 northern spring 1.29¼@1.33; No. 2 northern spring 1.29½@1.30¼; No. 3 northern spring 1.22¼@1.26½.

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American Beet Sugar	69⅝
American Can	61¾
American Car and Foundry	71
American Cotton Oil	55½
American Locomotive	66
American Smelt. and Refining	101½
American Sugar Refining	113½
American Tel. and Tel.	127¾
Anaconda Copper	90⅝
Atchison	103
Baldwin Locomotive	111⅝
Baltimore and Ohio	88
Bethlehem Steel	479
Brooklyn Rapid Transit	85
California Petroleum	32⅝
Canadian Pacific	172
Central Leather	53¾
Chesapeake and Ohio	61½
Chicago, Mil. and St. Paul	95⅛
Chicago, R. I. and Pacific Ry.	191⅛
Chino Copper	58½
Crucible Steel	77⅝
Denver and Rio Grande pfd	19
Erie	37½
General Electric	170½
General Motors	485
Goodrich Co.	72⅝
Great Northern Ore. Ctfs.	46¼
Great Northern pfd	122
Illinois Central	103⅝
Interborough-Consol. Corp.	17⅝
Inter. Harvester, N. J.	110½
Lehigh Valley	77¾
Louisville and Nashville	124½
Maxwell Motor Co.	69⅝
Mexican Petroleum	109
Missouri, Kansas and Texas pfd	14
Missouri Pacific	3¼
National Lead	70
New York Central	105⅝
N. Y., N. H. and Hartford	69¾
Norfolk and Western	116¾
Northern Pacific	114¼
Pennsylvania	57¼
Ray Consolidated Copper	25⅛
Reading	79
Republic Iron and Steel	53⅞
Southern Pacific	100
Southern Railway	21
Studebaker Co.	152¼
Texas Co.	212½
Tennessee Copper	59⅝
Union Pacific	134¼
United States Rubber	52½
United States Steel	83½
United States Steel pfd	117
Utah Copper	81⅞
Western Union	89
Westinghouse Electric	67
Wabash Pfd "B"	27¼
Marine Pfd Ctfs	71¼
Miami Copper	37⅞

NEW YORK BOND LIST (General).

U. S. ref. 2s, registered	99¾
U. S. ref. 2s, coupon	99¾
U. S. 3s, registered	102⅛
U. S. 3s, coupon	102¼
U. S. 4s, registered	110¼
U. S. 4s, coupon	110⅝
Panama 3s, coupon	102

New York Money Market

New York, Feb. 14.—Mercantile paper 3@3¼.
Bar silver 56⅛.
Mexican dollars 43¾.
Time loans 2½@3.
Call money: High 2; low 1¾; closing bid 1¾.

Peoria Grain Market

Peoria, Ill., Feb. 14.—Corn—Market unchanged. No. 4 white 69½@70½; No. 6 whdite 61½; No. 3 yellow 73½; No. 4 yellow 69½@71; No. 6 yellow 61½; No. 5 mixed 67¼@66½; No. 6 mixed 61½; sample 38@57.

Oats—Market unchanged. No. 3 white 46½.

ST. LOUIS CASH GRAIN MARKET.

St. Louis, Feb. 14.—Wheat—No. 2 red 1.28@1.33; No. 3 red 1.19@1.28; No. 4 red 1.08@1.12; No. 3 hard winter 1.21@1.23; No. 4 hard winter 1.11@1.15½.

Corn—No. 3 72@73; No. 4 68⅛@69; No. 3 white 74; No. 4 white 68½@70; No. 3 yellow 74@75; No. 4 yellow 70@72½; No. 5 yellow 68¼@69.

Oats—No. 3 45; No. 4 45; No. 3 white 48@50; No. 4 white 45@46½; standard 57.

New Grain York Market

New York, Feb. 14.—Wheat—Spot easy; No. 1 Durum 1.46¼; No. 1 Northern Duluth 1.47¼, and Northern Manitoba 1.56¼ f. o. b. New York. Futures steady.

Corn—Spot barely steady; No. 2 yellow 86 c. i. f. New York.

Oats—Spot easy. Standard 54@54½.

Coffee—Spot firm; Rio No. 7 8¼; Santos No. 4 9⅞.

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Most soaps and prepared shampoos contain too much alkali, which is very injurious, as it dries the scalp and makes the hair brittle.

The best thing to use is just plain mulsified cocoanut oil, for this is pure and entirely greaseless. It's very cheap, and beats the most expensive soaps or anything else all to pieces. You can get this at any drug store, and a few ounces will last the whole family for months.

Simply moisten the hair with water and rub it in, about a teaspoonful is all that is required. It makes an abundance of rich, creamy lather, cleanses thoroughly, and rinses out easily. The hair dries quickly and evenly, and is soft, fresh looking, bright, fluffy, wavy and easy to handle. Besides, it loosens and takes out every particle of dust, dirt and dandruff.

FEEDING HOGS FOR PROFIT

By JOHN M. EVVARD

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Iowa Experiment Station.

(Courtesy Morris & Co.)

Above all things, excepting the feed supply and sheltering facilities only, an abundance of exercise is most important. All classes of pregnant animals do well only when abundant opportunity for exercise is allowed. The general tone and vigor of the mother is reflected in the offspring; the better the general health and condition of the dam the stronger and more vigorous the young. Range on pasture is perhaps the best of all. Allow the sows to follow cattle for a while, but be sure to remove them when they tend to become clumsy and heavy. Scatter the feed over the ground, such as sheaf oats, well-podded soy bean hay, Canadian field pea hay, well podded, oats, grains, etc., and let the sows gather them. Feed on the side of the field opposite the sleeping bunks. Allow hay in racks, the eating at which is conducive to light exercise. Shut the sows from the houses in the middle of the day rather than allow them to huddle up and snooze peaceably. Schemes to induce exercise cost little, yet the returns are considerable.

Warmth, dryness, ventilation and sunlight are the essentials of an ideal hog house. Such conductive conditions can be secured with a little forethought. Good dry bedding is needed and to be kept dry must be changed regularly. Arrange the houses so as to avoid draughts and heavy winds, preferably placing them in sheltered nooks. Altho the hog can stand considerable cold, yet the breeding hog does not have the fat which would ordinarily keep the fat hog warm, neither does the breeding sow have such a warm coat as the horse, for instance, that roughs it. We have found in our experience that sensible shelter saves many cents

We hog men cannot afford to feed our hard earned corn and other grains to lice and worms. Crude oil is cheap, costs not more than five to eight dollars a barrel, is easily applied, and does the lice up brown and black, hence why hesitate? It kills the lice and nits at one application and can be used in winter because it is an oil and does not evaporate. Oil may be put on top of the water in the ordinary dipping tank in summer, say about an inch deep, or may be applied with a spray pump. Of the many automatic hog-oilers found on the market these days there are some that "work" quite well. The reliable concerns are anxious to put these oilers out on the hog farms on their merits—no good, no pay. The prospective purchaser is pleased with the guarantee of no "payments, but return the machine if it doesn't do the business," and acts accordingly. Gunny sacks wrapped around posts in the hog yards may be saturated with the crude oil from time to time and thus help in the clean-up. It is well to spray the oil on the bedding in the houses. Remember, one had best not use the dippinf tank in the "dead of winter" unless pure oil is used because water chills the hogs thru rapid evaporation. Ordinarily, however, an old broom, a sprinkling can, and a couple of hurdles handled by two active men is sufficient equipment for ridding the farm of hog lice.

Worms are a serious drawback. We know this to be a good remedy: Santonin 6 grains, calomel 4 grains to a hundred pounds of hog given once on an empty (24 hours off feed) stomach and repeated in 10 days if necessary. It is not well to use any worm medicine upon sows within a couple of months of farrow, because all pregnant animals in advanced stages have some tendency to abort when given a strong laxative. The thing to do is to attend to the worms in time.

Laxativeness of the bowels is highly desirable, as costiveness is a menace. Plenty of exercise combined with laxative feeds such as tankage, skim-milk, oil meal, bran, alfalfa hay, and so on, will largely solve the problem. However, if such prescribed measures do not solve the problem a week before farrowing an emergency remedy of an ounce of epsom salts per hundred pounds of hog will help considerably.

The essentials of brood sow management may be briefly summarized: Provide suitable food, but do not overfeed. Emphasize the protein and ash constituents. Keep the sow growing nicely but do not fatten. Devise schemes to induce exercise. A dry, warm, well ventilated bed in a sheltered house is in oredr. Kill off the lice and drive out the worms because you cannot afford to feed parasites. Avoid constipation by natural feeding management, but resort to emergencies if necessary. Practice gentleness with your brood sows; speak kindly in their presence, recalling always that good treatment bespeaks contentment with its corresponding profits.

Feeding the Suckling Sow.

Pasture should by all means be provided the suckling sow if possible. One cannot expect optimum results from dry lot feeding of sows with litters following.

The milking sow as well as the milking cow needs a ration comparatively rich in protein and minerals because the milk which is secreted for the young is quite rich in these growing elements, the raw materials for making milk are supplied with profit. We ordinarily figure that 5 or 6 pounds of carbohydrate or starch equivalent should be fed with every pound of protein to the milking cow. Considering the relative composition of the milk produced by the cow and sow, the ration should be the richer for the sow, or about 1 to 4 or 5, depending upon the individual. The younger the sow the heavier the milking tendency, the larger number of pigs following, the less the range, the less the pasture, and so on, the richer should the ration be in protein. The author's guess based on some unpublished evidence is that a ratio of 1:4 is none too wide for a heavy suckling sow with, say 7 or 8 husky, hungry pigs following.

The following Table VII shows the comparison between sow's and cow's milk in per cents. Just think of it! Sow's milk contains practically 72 per cent more protein (muscle and bone builders), 82 per cent more fat, and 43 per cent more of the precious calcium, phosphorous and other mineral ash which largely comprises the dry minerals of bone than the milk from ordinary average cows. Is it any wonder that sows get thin, even tho they are well fed, producing thru the mammary milk secreting glands such a rich concentrated food as this?

It pays well to minister to nutritional needs of the sow because in doing so she will not only lose less weight, but her pigs will grow faster, be more healthy and thus make more profitable pork. Of course, it is needless to remark that the suckling sow on forage (blue grass, alfalfa, rape or red clover) can be fed much heavier than the sow in dry lot with practically no danger whatever from thumps or kindred ailments. Exercise induced by abundant range on grasses robs thumps of their terror. The growing pig to prosper rightly must have exercise and feed, a doublet inseparable, his mother too must have been selected carefully from a good strain to insure that "early start" so essential to a profitable "pork barrel."

TABLE VII
Sow's Milk is Richer Than Cow's
Composition of Sow's Versus Cow's Milk in Parts per Hundred Sow's Milk

Authority	Protein	Milk Sugar	Fat	Ash or Minerals	Ration of Protein to Carbohydrate Equivalent
Wisconsin Station (av. 3 cows)	6.06	5.64	6.89	.99	1 to 3.43
Bunge from Konig	5.90	3.80	6.90	1.10	1 to 3.21
Average	5.98	4.72	6.895	1.045	1 to 3.30
Cow's Milk					
Eckles	3.40	4.75	3.90	.75	1 to 3.92
Babcock	3.55	4.88	3.69	.71	1 to 3.66
Average	3.475	4.815	3.795	.73	1 to 3.79
Difference in average composition	2.050	—.095	3.100	.315	
Per Cent in favor of sow's milk	72.98	—1.97	81.97	43.15	

The grain ration in the corn belt should consist largely of corn, preferably soaked in season for the sow; the young pigs, however, should have their corn largely in the form of the ear, starting out with the dry shelled and quickly changing over to the ear form as soon as they get started.

The best supplements to feed are skim-milk or butermilk, tankage, midlings, oil meal, a little bran and possibly some ground oats. A very good ration with which we have had good success is to allow all the corn the sow and pigs will clean up nicely, feeding in addition a slop and 1 part 60 per cent protein tankage. Less than half as much of this slop mixture is required on grass as in dry lot; the hog grower should by all means provide grass, preferably alfalfa, rape, or clover. Blue grass, of course, is good, but needs considerable high-priced supplement along with corn for most profitable feeding. On good green alfalfa, red clover, rape or blue grass pasture, corn and meat meal tankage without the wheat middlings is largely used to advantage in practice, this being particularly true in those sections of the country where middlings are relatively high in price as in mixture of 3 parts wheat middlings Iowa and Illinois, not Kansas and Minnesota, generally speaking.

Another ration which is quite efficient in dry lot is made up of corn 61 pounds, middlings 20 pounds, tankage or meat meal 10 pounds, bran 6 pounds, oil meal 3 pounds; salt is added by some but that is optional. This ration figures about 4.15 pounds carbohydrates to one pound of protein. Perhaps it is better to allow the salt in separate boxes, hogs at all time having free access to the same. The question of salt feeding needs some careful study. Another very acceptable ration would be corn 60 pounds, wheat middlings 40 pounds, and tankage or meat meal 10 pounds.

On leguminous pastures, after the sows get well started, the ration can be composed largely of corn and tankage, enough middlings being mixed with the tankage to make a nice slop. After the sows and pigs are nicely on feed a self-feeder with three compartments may be used, allowing free access of these feeds, corn, tankage, and middlings. We also would allow charcoal, lime, and salt; sometimes wood ashes if available.

Sudden changes in the ration should be prohibited by all means.

It is wise to feed the sow abundantly during the suckling period so that she may lose but a minimum of weight. It cost money to put this weight on; incidentally the good feeding of the sow results in more milk; this ultimately means more vigorous and more growthy pigs for later profitable feeding and fattening.

Feeding the Boar.

By all means the boar should have a paddock in which to graze and range. As with the sow,, his ration during the breeding season should consist of considerable, but not too much, protein. A very good mixture for him would consist of 3 parts middlings and 1 part tankage in conjunction with a moderate corn ration. No two boars feed alike, hence it is necessary for the feeder to regulate the ration accordingly. It is wise to keep the boar by himself and hand-breed rather than allow him to run with the sows.

If the sire or boar has a changeable appetite a little skim-milk will ofttimes bring him back to his feed; buttermilk too is fine. There is little trouble, however, in keeping the boar in good shape if he has a good paddock to graze in, especially if he has one in which alfalfa and rape predominate. When in rape, alfalfa or clover the boar will need little but corn to keep him in good shape. When breeding begins, or about two weeks before, allow him some skim-milk, or tankage, or oil meal or other protein supplement to increase vigor of the sperm cells liberated, and thus encourage fertile mating.

LAND O'NOD STORIES

As soon as the battle was over, Billy Be By Bo Bum and Tinker Teedle Tee slid down the oat tree from the branches of which they had watched the fight. The Queen's army now was returning home thru the oat forest, each soldier either carrying an egg or cocoon or dragging a dead or wounded Negro warrior.

"Whew! That certainly was a bloody battle," said Billy gazing at the heaps of dead warriors that covered the plain surrounded the looted Negro city like a red and black carpet. "But tell me, Tinker, why are those soldiers dragging away dead and wounded ants? They surely can't expect to make slaves of them."

"That is one trait of the ants that I don't like to talk about," replied Tinker.

"Why, what do you mean?" demanded Billy.

"Well, to tell you the truth, all ants are cannibals at times. Altho they live chiefly on seeds and grain and the milk of their aphids or ant cows, they are not above eating each other when they get a chance."

"I never saw any signs of their doing that when I was back in the city," protested Billy.

"Oh, no, they don't kill and eat their friends," replied the elf. "But when they go to war they not only carry off the eggs of their victims to bring them up as slaves, but they also eat the bodies of the soldiers killed in defending their home. But even here you see how unselfish they are. Instead of stopping to devour their prey on the battlefield, they carry the bodies back to the city where they share the meal with the workers who remained at home while the soldiers went to war.

For several minutes Billy walked on in silence, thinking of this new side of ant nature. At this point the trail emerged from the oat forest and crossed a sandy road, but Billy was so busy with his thoughts that he did not notice where he was going, until Tinker shouted a warning. The little boy was so startled by the sudden cry that he jumped back a step, and it was well that he did, for if he had taken another step forward he would have fallen into a deep, funnel-shaped pit that yawned in front of him.

"Good gracious, who under the sun dug that awful hole right in our path?" demanded Billy, but before Tinker could reply there was a great commotion in the pit and a volley of sany and tiny pebbles shot up over the him, falling on all sides as tho it was raining gravel. Billy turned to run, but before he had taken two steps he was struck by several grains of sand and knocked sprawling.

"We've stumbled onto a volcano in full eruption," gasped Billy as he struggled to his feet.

"A volcano. Ho, ho, ho," shouted the merry little elf, laughing so hard he tumbled over onto a bed of moss where he lay kicking up his heels like a kitten at play. Of couse when Billy saw Tinker laughing he knew there was no real danger, but just the same he didn't like to be made fun of.

"Well, if it isn't a volcano, maybe you can tell me what it is," grumbled Billy.

"That is the trap of an Ant Lion," replied Tinker, sitting up and straightening the weeny copper kettle he wore for a hat.

"A what?" demanded Billy in astonishment.

"The trap of an Ant Lion," repeated the elf. "And just let me tell you that if you had tumbled into that pit, as you surely would if I hadn't shouted in time, you would have been chewed to pieces by this fierce ogre that is lying in wait at the bottom of the pit for some poor, luckless ant to fall into his trap."

"But what caused the shower of sand?" asked Billy.

"The Ant Lion," replied Tinker. "He was hoping that some of the pellets would strike you and knock you into his pit. Now if you would like to see how this terrible fellow, who is one of the worst enemies our friends the ants have to contend with, does his hunting, we will climb a nearby tree. If we tried to crawl near the edge of the trap he might succeed in snaring us, but from the branches of an oat tree, we can watch him in safety."

So Billy and the elf shinned up the stalk of a spear of grain, and next week I'll tell you what they saw.

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We see in the vista of time,
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On ocean, land and sea.
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Thru all Eternity.

John Francis Myers.

GOLDEN BELT ROUTE FOR JACKSONVILLE

Frank J. Heinl, chairman of the department of rural affairs of the Chamber of Commerce, has announced that acting in conjunction with the Hon. Frank W. Buffum, state highway commissioner of Missouri, an auto route will be established from Kansas City, Mo., following closely the Chicago & Alton railroad to Louisiana, Mo., and from the latter point thru Pittsfield, Winchester and Lynnville to Jacksonville. This route will be known as the "Golden Belt Route," and arrangements will be made to commence marking the trail from Jacksonville as soon as the weather permits.

DR. HARKER TO SPEAK.

Dr. Joseph R. Harker, president of Illinois Woman's college, expects to go to Beardstown today to address a banquet of the Men's club of Beardstown Methodist church. Dr. Harker's subject will be "How to Get Everything You Want."

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With Patriotic zeal,
Perpetuating freedom's laws,
To bless the Public weal.
Their glorious work will live to bless
The nations yet unborn,
And they'll receive a rich reward
On resurrection morn.

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Will help to move the world,
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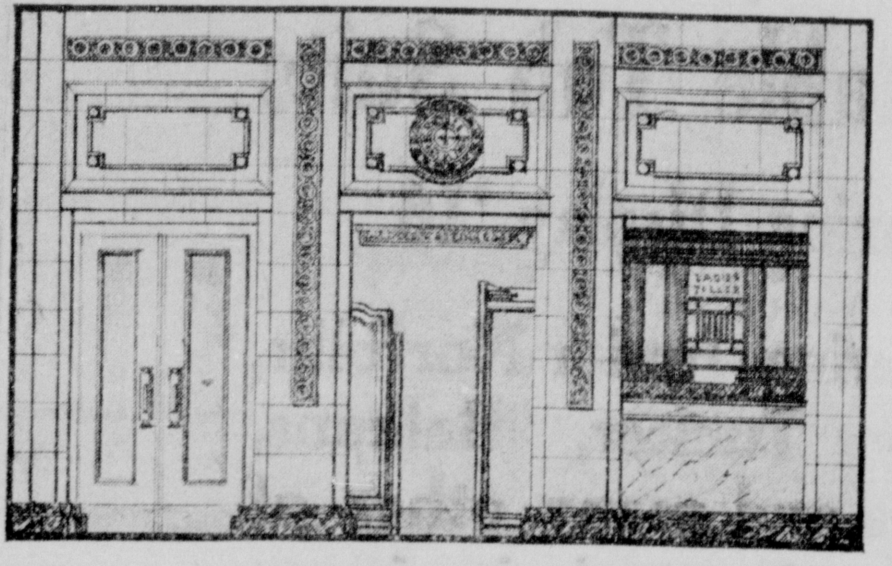

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JOHN R. MERNIN BURIED MONDAY IN SPRINGFIELD

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The remains of John R. Mernin, son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Mernin of Springfield who was accidentally killed while on duty with Troop H, First U. S. Cavalry, San Diego, Calif., arrived in Springfield Sunday. The remains were taken to the undertaking parlors of Kirlin and Egan.

Funeral services were held Monday from the undertaking plarlors at 11 o'clock and from St. Agnes church at 11:15 o'clock, the Rev. Father Callan officiating. Mernin was buried with military honors, Troop D, 1st Illinois cavalry acting as escort. The bearers were: Gregory Brown, James Stanley, Robert Carmeau, James Brennan, M. C. Peetrs and John Gleason.

Mernin died from injuries received by being thrown from his horse during military maneuvers. The accident occurred a week ago Saturday.

Sunkist Oranges at all Dealers.

NEW JEWELRY FIRM.

As will be noted in another column, C. H. Russell has sold an interest in his business to Charles H. Thompson, who has long been an employe of the Russell & Lyon store. Mr. Thompson is a very capable jeweler and has had such technical and business training that Mr. Russell knew that he would be desirable as a partner. The firm name will be Russell & Thompson, and it goes without saying that the high standards which Mr. Russell has maintained thru his long business life will still be observed.

FROM SEVILLE, OHIO.

Harry Beckman, who recently took the position as singer for the evangelist, Rev. Z. O. Avery, writes from Seville, O., that the revival there is progressing finely and that interest is good thruout the surrounding community. The revival at Seville is a union meeting.

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Sweet and Sour Pickles, doz.	10c
Sweet and Sour Pickles, doz.	10c
Pop Corn, lb.	05c
3 Cans Peas	25c
Corn Flakes, package	05c
Mustard Sardines, 3 for	25c
Oil Sardines, 6 for	25c
Large Can Salmon	10c
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Social Happenings Of St. Valentine Season

Centenary Ladies Given Surprise.

The Third Division of the Ladies Aid society of Centenary M. E. church gave a surprise party Monday at the home of Mrs. E. L. Kinney, 197 South Prairie street, for the chairman of the division, Mrs. T. B. Clampit, and the secretary, Mrs. H. C. Busby. The division presented each of the ladies with a beautiful pin, Miss Winnie Wackerle making the presentation talks. Mrs. Clampit and Mrs. Busby were re-elected to their respective offices. Plans were made for the year's work and for a waffle supper, to be given Feb. 29. Delicious refreshments, in keeping with St. Valentine's day, were served. The committee in charge was Misses Ann and Olive Hodgson and Mesdames L. H. Clampit, James Cridland and Lewis Kelly.

Valentine Party Given at Meredosia.

Saturday evening, Feb. 12, Miss Mae Parlier entertained about forty of her friends at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Rice, six miles northeast of Meredosia, the occasion being a valentine party.

The company was variously entertained, some preferring to pass away the time in playing the popular game of "Rook," while others entered into guessing games. One of these was in identifying some of the advertisements cut from periodicals and pinned to the curtains and door frames. There were none who were able to guess all, altho two identified fifteen of the seventeen. Also they exercised their wits in forming as many words as possible in five minutes from the word "Hearts." Mr. O. T. McLain with twenty nine was the winner.

Partners were chosen by finding the key that would match the key marked out in a small pasteboard heart, the young ladies having the hearts doing the hunting. Simple refreshments were served. A valentine box was a feature of the evening, each guest contributing, and practically everyone receiving a valentine.

The guests departed at a late hour declaring the party a great success and praising Miss Parlier for the delightful entertainment.

Valentine Party at New Pacific

Mrs. Edward A. Brennan entertained Monday afternoon from 4 till 6 o'clock in the parlors of the New Pacific hotel in honor of her daughter, Frances Brennan. A number of enjoyable games were played and luncheon was served the twenty-five guests in the hotel dining room. Musical selections were given by Miss Mildred Peck and Miss Genevieve Brown. of the Routt college faculty.

Mrs. Frances Frank is Tendered Surprise.

Mrs. Frances Frank was pleasantly surprised at her home on East Morgan street Monday evening by a small company of neighbors and friends. All came arrayed in Valentine costume and spent the evening hours in pleasant social manner. Among the guests were Mr. and Mrs. Fred Goes, Alvin Goes, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Pires, Mr. and Mrs. Vincent Vieira, Mrs. J. W. Baptist, Mrs. Clara DeFreitas, Mrs. Grace Ferreira, Mrs. Naomi Martis, Miss Bernice Martis and the Rev. W. E. Spoonts.

Young People of Brooklyn Church.

Young People of the Epworth League of Brooklyn M. E. church held a dime social and Valentine party Monday night at the home of Miss Marie Goheen on South East street. In the contests prizes were won by Miss Nina Wright and Miss Katherine Milburn. Decorations and refreshments were suggestive of the season.

In Honor of Birthday of Charles Burrows.

A company of relatives gathered at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Burrows of 408 East Superior avenue, Sunday in honor of Mr. Burrows birthday. The hours were spent in taking pictures and playing games. A very delightful supper was served.

Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. Burrows and children, Mrs. John Leach, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Large and daughter Miss Lena, Eleanor Ealey and Mrs. D. A. Cox and daughter Miss Beatrice of Barry, Ill.

Pleasant Time at Home of Mr. and Mrs. John Leach.

A happy crowd assembled at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Leach south of the city, Thursday evening. All brought filled baskets, which contained many good things to eat. After playing many games all departed at a late hour for their respective homes.

Those present were Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Cain and son Fred, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Reeve and two children, Mrs. Ralph Reynolds and son Howard, and Miss Mary Morconey of Pana, Ill.

Party Given for Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Barnhart.

The Jolly Club met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Winter, five miles south of the city Friday evening in honor of Mr. and Mrs. George Barnhart, who are soon to move to Jacksonville. Many games were played during the evening, and an oyster supper was served.

Families present were: George Barnhart, John Casey, Hugh Vorhees J. S. Butler, Lewis Boughman, Jack Harding, John Stark, Isaac Watson, and Ernest Harding. Outside guests were Mrs. D. A. Cox of Barry, Ill., and daughter, Miss Beatrice.

All departed after on enjoyable evening, wishing Mr. and Mrs. Barnhart good luck in their new home.

Remembered on Birthday.

Friday was the birthday of Charles L. Carpenter. Mr. Carpenter forgot the event but his friends did not. Saturday, Timothy Riley, John Shields and Charles Hagan went to Mr. Carpenter's home and presented him with a fine rocking chair. The presentation speech was made by John Shields. Mr. Carpenter was so overcome that he was unable to respond bu the rallied enough to invite the three gentlemen to his home Sunday where dinner was served and several hours spent socially.

Held Family Dinner.

A family dinner was held at the home of Mrs. George Siegfried, 607 South East street, in honor of the 80th anniversary of the birthday of her mother, Mrs. Elizabeth J. Phillips. All the children were present with the exception of Mrs. Fred Steinkuchler of Springfield. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Albert Phillips and family; Mr. and Mrs. Harry Phillips; Mr. and Mrs. John R. Phillips and family. The time was very pleasantly spent and no one enjoyed the event more than the guest of honor.

D. O. K. K. Dance.

Members of the D. O. K. K. gave a dance in their hall Monday evening which was attended by fifty couples. The Dokay orchestra furnished music and the evening was one of merriment.

Entertained at Cards.

Mrs. Clyde Richardson entertained a company of friends at her home, 613 East College avenue, Monday night at cards. Aside from the games played a delightful social time was spent during which time delicious refreshments were served. Those who won prizes were Mrs. H. B. Capps, Miss Ruth Wilson and Mrs. H. G. Lynn.

Entertained at Valentine Party.

Miss Gertrude Benson of 335 West Court street entertained a number of girl school friends Monday night at a Valentine party. The house was prettily decorated in hearts and other emblems of the day. In the games played the prize winners were Alma Smith, Vivian Hughes and Ruth McDonald. Dainty refreshments were served and the hours happily spent. Those present were: Louis Struck, Alma Smith, Lucile Mendonsa, Mary Gaul, Ruth McDonald.

Valentine Observance at Woman's College.

The St. Valentine festival was charmingly observed Monday evening at Illinois Woman's college when members of the junior class gave an informal reception for freshmen in the college society rooms. Miss Pauline Herrmann, president of the junior class, and Miss Laura McLaughlin, class officer, received the guests as they arrived, clad in the red and white of St. Valentine tokens. A profusion of red hearts and rows of red electric lamps made very effective the decorative scheme. Delicate refreshments were served.

Philatheas Observe St. Valentine's Day.

Members of the Philathea circle of Central Christian church met for an enjoyable evening Monday at the home of Mrs. George T. McKee on North Fayette street. Miss Pearl Jewsbury and Miss Grace Filson assisted the hostess and this February meeting of the circle proved most enjoyable. Prizes were won by Mrs. Theodore Graf, Jr., and Miss Grace Filson. Miss Inez Griffin and Miss Filson, as Martha and George Washington, received the guests. Pink roses and carnations were employed in the decorations as well as St. Valentine emblems.

There were present as guests: Mrs. Mabel Dunavan, Mrs. L. F. Hamilton and son, Mrs. B. C. Lair, Mrs. Theodore Graf, Jr., Miss Wilma Emerick, Mrs. Arthur Jackson, Miss Orpha Ray, Miss Elizabeth Brewer, Miss Lydia DePew, Ford Jackson, Mrs. Charles E. Cully, Miss Mary Thorndike, Miss Iva Blimling, Miss Ada V. Smith, Miss Lottie Blackford, Miss Ida Blackford, Miss Mary Dewees, teacher of thec lass; Mrs. J. L. Blackford, Miss Margaret Coffman, Mrs. Mae Plunkett, Mrs. Minnie Haneline, Mrs. Bertha Hellenthal, Mrs. Lydia Ricks, Mrs. Ernest Sibley, Miss Linnie Blevins, Miss Grace E. Moses, Miss Margaret Green, Miss Linda Evans, Miss Carrie Henderson, Miss Grethel Moses, Miss Louise Hamilton and Miss Inez Griffin.

Sunday School Class Entertained.

The members of the Faithful Followers Sunday school class of Central Christian church were entertained Monday evening at the home of Miss Catherine Gustafson of South East street. Twenty four members were present and the evening was spent with music and games. Prizes were won by Miss Adelaide McCarty, Miss Helen Baker and Miss Mabel Ruyle. The house was tastefully decorated with red and white hearts to carry out the idea of Valentine day. Refreshments were served.

MRS. RHODA SLOAN DIES SUDDENLY OF HEMORRAGE

Inquest Was Held by Coroner Wright —Funeral Will be Wednesday Morning.

Mrs. Rhoda Sloan died suddenly of hemorrhage at the home of her mother, Mrs. Nancy Jones of East College avenue, early Monday morning. Her mother was the only one present at the time of death and when the remains were removed to the Reynolds undertaking parlors Coroner Wright was notified. He empaneled a jury and held an inquest. The verdict was in accordance with the facts as given above. The jury was composed of the following: A. J. Weakley, foreman; J. W. Sargent, G. W. Sample, Frank Fanning, L. V. Seymour and R. R. Stevenson, clerk. The funeral will be held from the residence Wednesday morning at 10 o'clock in charge of the Rev. F. A. McCarty, with interment in Jacksonville cemetery.

Obituary.

Rhoda B. Jones Sloan died at the home of her mother, 424 E. Lafayette avenue, at 3 a. m. Monday morning, Feb. 14, 1916. She was born in Jacksonville, Ill. July 21, 1880. At the time of her death she was 35 years, 7 months, 3 weeks and 3 days old. She leaves a bereaved husband and two children, Hermenia, and Benjafin, also her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Jones, and two sisters, Mrs. John W. Seegar, of Decatur, and Mrs. Albert Hearle of Peoria, and a brother, Charles Frederick Jones, at home.

The Thursday South Diamond club will meet next Thursday afternoon with Mrs. A. L. Henderson at her home, 647 South Diamond street.

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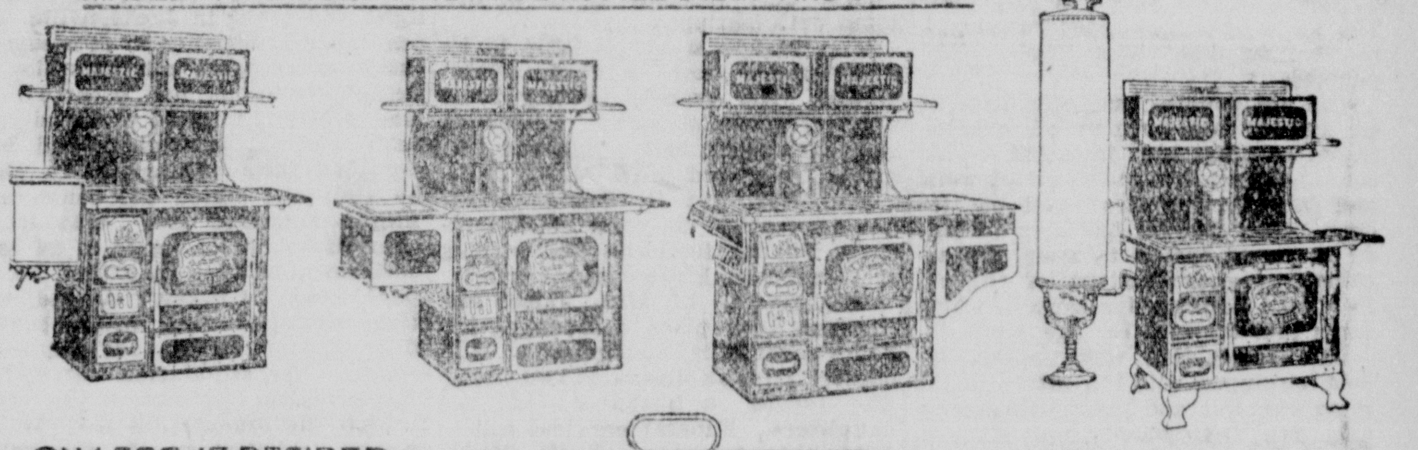

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At the end of each season we find that we have lines of shoes that are broken in sizes, some worse than others, and some discontinued lines. These, in connection with the come and go of fadish shoes, force us to be alive and keep our stock clean as possible. We assemble these shoes regardless of cost and put an attractive price upon them. They must **GO.**

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Specials

Women's Staple and Fancy Shoes at a saving of 10 per cent.

Women's Felt Slippers, $1.00 and $1.50 values, now **50c and 75c.**

Children's Felt Slippers, **50c.** Men's Traveling Slippers, **$1.00.**

$2.50 **HOPPER'S** $2.50

Sale Prices Strictly Cash

DUNLAP HOTEL REMODELLED BY NEW EQUIPMENT

The Dunlap hotel the oldest hotel in the city and perhaps one of the most noted in the state has recently undergone a complete remodelling and refurnishing. Mrs. E. Brewer, the proprietress has left nothing undone and today the Dunlap hotel is one of the most modern in the country.

One of the main features of the hotel is the lobby. This has been remoddelled so that one would scarcely know it. A large plate glass window has been placed in the front. The walls have been redecorated and the ceiling has been artistically paneled.

The old counter has been discarded and a new counter of quarter sawed oak has been installed. This counter is a handsome piece of work and has a cigar case and cashier desk. Mrs. Brewer has also installed the card system to keep the accounts of guests instead of the old fashioned bookkeeping system which saves lots of work for the clerk.

The toilet and wash room has been equipped with the latest in the plumbing line and the writing room also has undergone renovation in connection with the other parts of the building.

In the rooms great changes have been made. All of the rooms have been furnished with Wilton velvet carpets and the new beds are the Vernis Martin with two inch posts. All the mattresses and springs are new as well as the other equipment. There is hot and cold running water in every room.

The furniture in the office is fine leather finished rocking chairs of the latest style. The office lights are the new Brasco lights giving the indirect lighting system.

Those who had part in the remodelling are as follows: Decorating, J. J. Mallen and Son; Room furniture, C. E. Hudgin and Co.; Plumbing, E. E. Beastall; Lighting, G. A. Seiber; office furniture, Andre and Andre; counter and desk, the Crawford Planning Mill company.

SMOKE MOOSE 5c CIGARS.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS

John Tadden to G. O. and Sarah Webster, warranty deed to NE 1-3 SW 1-4, etc., 23-13-10, $26,000.

Magdalene Lehr to Henry Metcalf, warranty deed to lot 8, Osborne's addition to Jacksonville, $1.

Henry F. Metcalf to Magdalene Lehr, warranty deed to lots 33 and 34 Cox's re-hubdivision to aJcksonville, $1.

ASK FOR MOOSE CIGARS.

LICENSED TO MARRY.

Leben Thurston, Murrayville; Miss Cora B. Irlam, Murrayville.

WINCHESTER

Sol Hainsfurther left Saturday evening for a visit in Pittsfield.

Friends of Miss Mary Trickey will be glad to learn that she is showing steady improvement in condition.

Dr. and Mrs. Samuel Boton of Golden, Ill., are making a visit in Winchester.

Miss Shirley Henderson has returned from a visit with friends in Monmouth.

Mrs. Carl Woodall is ill at her home with lagrippe.

Miss Maude Moses is able to be about again after a three weeks' illness Her school, in Big Swan district, was closed by reason of high water and bad roads and will not be re-opened until March 1.

The Rev. Ora B. Pride of St. Louis preached to good sized audiences Sunday forenoon and evening at Winchester Presbyterian church.

The death of Mrs. James McKeevers took place Sunday at her home seven miles southwest of Winchester after an illness of two weeks. She leaves a husband and two daughters. Funeral services will be held this forenoon at St. Mark's Catholic church.

George Hooper and Miss Mary Innland, both of Canton, were married Saturday evening at 8:30 o'clock at the home of Mr. Hooper's sisters, Mrs. Robert Woodall, the Rev. G. E. Prewitt, pastor of the Christian church, officiating. Mr. and Mrs. Hooper left Sunday evening for Canton to make their home.

Sunkist Oranges, best and sweetest.

WILLIAMSON GROCERY STORE LEASED BY HARDING AND WILSON

D. L. Harding and Verne Wilson have leased the Williamson grocery store on West State street and will occupy it in the near future with a complete stock of groceries. The Williamson store is one of the oldest establishments in the city and was conducted for many years by the late J. B. Williamson and his son, A. B. Williamson. A. B. Williamson has already commenced the work of remodelling the building. A new front will be placed and other improvements will be made. When the improvements are completed the building will be modern in every respect.

VISIT IN WHITE HALL.

Misses Dora Conlee, Grace Hadden, Bess Hadden, Gertrude Manchester and Jane Foreman were in White Hall Sunday, guests of Miss Conlee's sister, Mrs. Everett Peak, and Dr. Peak.

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The coffee you serve sets the standard for your table. Have Chase & Sanborn Coffee at breakfast and all other meals and you have the highest in quality and so the best in flavor.

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RATE CASE STIPULATION DOES NOT ABSOLUTELY BAR APPEAL

Loophole is Left to Provide for Future Action—Officials Hope for Finding Within Short Time.

While there is no certainty about the matter, the city officials who attended the hearing in Chicago recently before the Illinois utilities commission feel quite hopeful that a rate will be announced at some early date fixing the price the railway and light company may charge for light and power in Jacksonville. The published statements in reference to the hearing some misconception of actual conditions has occurred. It was previously stated that the company and the petitioners had both signified their willingness to abide by the rates which the commission might announce and that if the commission would agree to an early settlement of the case that no appeal would be taken . A reading of the stipulation filed at the hearing does not quite bear out this statement. The stipulation says, "We have reason to believe the rates which the commission may fix may prove satisfactory to the parties hereto, in which event they will acquiesce therein and stipulate to abide thereby." This sentence is so phrased that neither party to the proceedings is barred absolutely from taking further action which may sem desirable. From the standpoint of the petitions of the city it will be advantageous to secure an early decision because of pending street improvements. The management of the railway and light company have stated their unwillingness to consent to any payment for public improvements until it is definitely known what the commission will do in the rate case . In view of this fact, if improvement proceedings are pushed before any rate has been announced, the company will file objections.

Even tho the company must eventually pay in accorance with the order of the court, the fact that there are objections has an effect on the bids made by contractors. When contractor is to be paid for his work in bonds he has to be very careful in the first place that all the legal routine necessary for making of a public improvement has been followed out to the letter or his bonds will not be marketable. He must also figure that if some of the objectors are to take the matter up to the supreme cocrt, that while the sale of the bonds will not be impossible, that their value will be somewhat impaired. As a protection against the possibilnity of loss, therefore, the average contractor will put in a higher bid on an improvement job where some court proceeding is pending than he will on a job where all the record is clear and the property owners are not making any legal fight.

Big sale on Sunkist Oranges at all Dealers.

SPRINGFIELD HAS Y. W. C. A. CAMPAIGN FOR $25,000.

A ten-day campaign for twenty-five thousand dollars was begun in Springfield Monday afternoon for the Young Woman's Christian Association of that city, which seeks to clear itself of indebtedness and to engage in larger lines of work. The campaign will be conducted by teams of workers in a manner similar to the recent Y. M. C. A. campaigns here.

EPIDEMIC AT BROWNING.

An epidemic of whooping cough is in progress in Browning and vicinity. Five deaths have occurred since Jan. 12 and the disease is just beginning to abate. Mildred Anderson, two year old daughter of Flavel Anderson, was the last victim. The child passed away Friday after a short illness and was buried Sunday.

COL. BUFFUM COMING TO GOOD ROADS BANQUET

Col. Frank W. Buffum, state highway commissioner of Missouri, has accepted an invitation to attend the good roads luncheon on March 2 and address those in attendance. Mr. Buffum has accomplished great things in road betterment in the "Show Me" state and will be well worth hearing.

APPROPRIATION ORDINANCE PASSED BY COUNCIL MONDAY

Measure Given Second Reading Necessary—Water Pipe Bids Opened.

At the session of the city council Monday morning the principal business was the passage of the appropriation ordinance. This measure was given a second reading and adopted . Mr. Vasconcellos was absent as he had not returned from Chicago at the time of the council session. Mr. Widmayer reported that the audit of the city's books made by R. A. Gates had been received and it was ordered accepted. Mr. Cox reported the purchase of a new team for the street department and the sale of two horses belonging to the city. Mr. Martin reported transfer of a horse from the fire department to the water department. Bids for furnishing the city with about 3,200 feet of 6-inch cast iron water pipe were opened by City Clerk Pyatt and were as follows:

American Cast Iron Pipe company, $29.01 per ton, fittings 3c per lb.

Crane company, $27.50 per ton, fittings, 3 1-4c per lb.

Bernard Gause, $29.60 per ton, fittings 3c per lb.

C. C. Schureman, $29.70 per ton, 3 1-2c per lb.

United States Cast Iron Pipe and Foundry company, $29.05 per ton, fittings 3c per lb.

Under the rules it is necessary for bids involving an expenditure of this size to lay over and thus no action was taken. A foot of pipe weighs 32 lbs., so that between 40 and 50 tons wil be required for the work in prospect.

Members of Delaware Tribe are requested to attend council meeting tonight. Important meeting.

Geo. W. Davis, Sachem.

A. B. Opperman, C. of R.

U. C. T. LADIES' CLUB.

The women's club of the United Commercial Travelers will hold a meeting Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. L. R. Craig, 426 East North street. The hours will be from 3 to 5. Mrs. George T. McKee will be assistant hostess.

ASK FOR MOOSE CIGARS.

George Cox of Nortonville was among Monday visitors in the city.

Washable Tub Suits

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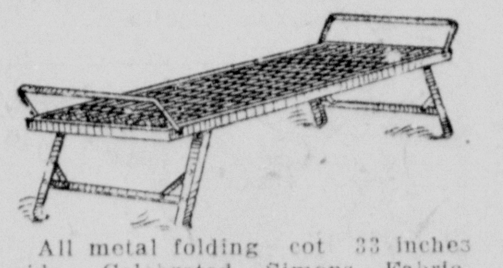
Waste paper basket, like cut. You can use any color material to match room furnishings. All wood frame. Half price in the sale, each 25c

Baby cribs are here in a great variety of styles and finishes. One like cut, size 24x48 in., finished Vernis Martin, semi-annual sale price $3.95

One same size with rockers $4.25.



All metal folding cot 33 inches wide. Celebrated Simons Fabric, $3.50 value. Semi-annual sale price $2.25

This beautiful 48 inch oval library table, quartered golden finish. Colonial design. Semi-annual sale price $15.75

Clearance of Rope Portieres

- $3.00 Plain Rope, for double doors $1.50
- $3.50 Plain Rope, for double doors $1.85
- $4.50 Plain Rope, for double doors $2.25
- $2.00 Plain Rope, for double doors $1.25
- $2.50 Plain Rope, for double doors $1.75
- $6.00 Rope and Band $4.80
- $4.00 Rope and Band $2.75
- $6.00 Old Mission Style $1.50
- $6.50 All Leather Ropes $4.25
- $5.00 All Leather Ropes $3.50
- $5.50 All Leather Ropes $3.75
- $10.00 All Leather Ropes $7.65
- $12.50 All Leather Ropes $10.35

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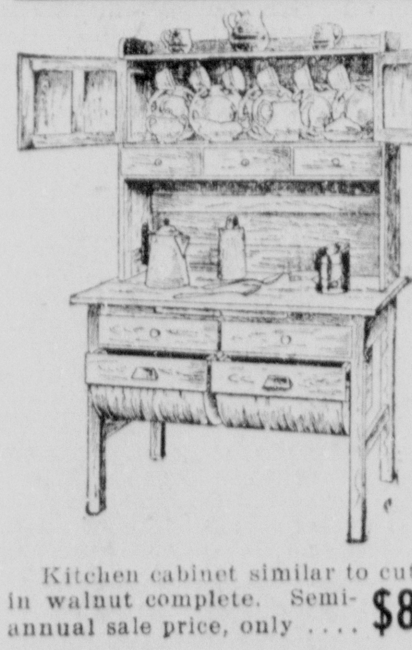
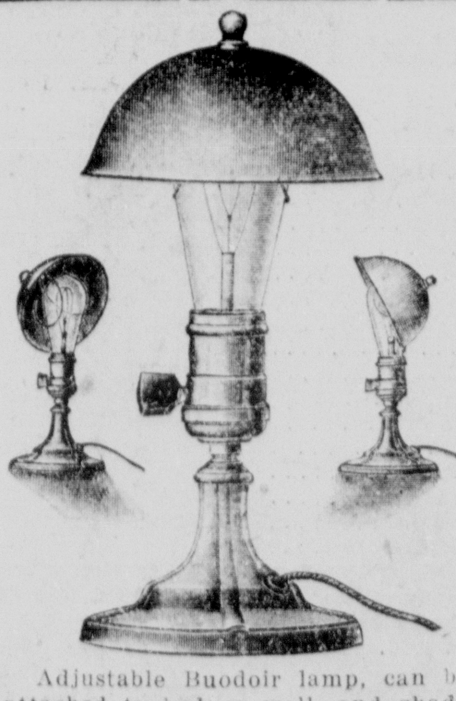


Kitchen cabinet similar to cut, satin walnut complete. Semi-annual sale price, only $8.35



Adjustable Buodoir lamp, can be attached to bed or wall, and shade can be adjusted to any angle. Semi-annual sale, not including globe $1.65

25 library lamps at similar reductions.

Little Mother Baby Tender

This is especially made for the comfort of the baby; really in a way it is a "silent nurse." Regular price $3.50, semi-annual price.... $2.00

Baby walkers are a great aid to baby just beginning to walk, and relieves mother of a great deal of extra work. Semi-annual sale, one like cut $1.50